FOREWORD

Agriculture continues to be North Carolina's largest industry. It takes a lot of people, primarily farmers, making timely, solid and innovative decisions to keep Agriculture in the forefront. These decisions must be based on accurate information.

This publication is intended to do just that--to provide timely, detailed and factual information on the great variety of crop and livestock items characteristic of North Carolina Agriculture. I trust that this reliable, unbiased source of information will assist farmers, processors and agricultural service industries in making wise and profitable management decisions.

I appreciate the solid support of farmers and agri-business firms who voluntarily supply information to the North Carolina Crop and Livestock Reporting Service so that these important numbers can be produced and made available to all persons interested in our Agriculture.

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CROPS

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REVIEW OF 1978 SEASON

1978 WEATHER AND CROP ROUND UP

Last year, January weather was very cold with occasional rain, sleet and snow. Farm activities were hampered due to below normal temperatures and above average precipitation. Preparation of tobacco plant beds were slowed by adverse weather conditions. Routine task were also hindered. Adverse weather conditions continued throughout February causing small grains and pasture conditions to decline. More favorable weather by the end of February enabled Tar Heel farmers to prepare for Spring plowing.

Field work got underway later in March than usual. Rainfall during the first half of the month was above normal and temperatures a little below normal. Weather conditions improved during the second half to allow more active preparation of tobacco plant beds, topdressing small grains, and planting Irish potatoes.

Mild weather during early April was very suitable for field work. Around mid-month, temperature readings began dipping below normal and April showers were heavy. By the end of the month, above normal rainfall had soaked the ground. Up to 14 inches of rain were reported in the mountains. Elsewhere, the storm dumped between 4 to 6 inches of precipitation. Flooding occurred in many areas. The cool and wet conditions extended into May and caused some delay in Spring plantings and crop development.

Summer weather conditions were very favorable compared with drought conditions experienced the year before. Farmers made excellent progress spraying, cultivating crops and harvesting flue-cured tobacco. Widely scattered afternoon and evening thundershowers were a frequent occurence during much of July and August. These showers were beneficial to crop development and maintained an adequate supply of soil moisture during the most hot and humid days of the Summer.

Fall harvest weather was generally favorable. There was little rainfall reported during the month of September and soil moisture became very short. Dry weather conditions during September was ideal for harvest. Harvest of flue-cured tobacco was completed on schedule. October weather was generally dry across the State. Harvesting activities advanced more rapidly. Peanut digging advanced slightly ahead of normal. Cotton harvest was on schedule. Corn harvest ran ahead of normal.

Some much needed rainfall occurred in mid-November which aided germination of small grains. Soil moisture remained near adequate throughout December and farmers were able to continue their soybean harvest which was a little over two-thirds complete by the end of the year.

BURLEY CROP SMALLER

Burley tobacco production in the State totaled 21 million pounds during 1978, down 11% from the previous year. Acreage harvested at 8,700 was down 9% from 1977. Yields averaged 2,415 pounds per acre, down 1% from the previous year.

The value of production was $26 million, down 1% from the previous year.

LARGER APPLE AND PEACH CROPS

The apple crop in North Carolina totaled 324 million pounds in 1978 compared with 270 million pounds the previous year. Freeze damage during 1977 was reported in isolated areas while conditions were more favorable during 1978.

Peach production also showed an increase over the previous year with 45 million pounds produced, 29% more than in 1977.

PEANUT CROP LARGER

Peanut production in North Carolina for 1978 was estimated at 469 million pounds. This is up 6% from the previous year. Yield per acre averaged 2,825 pounds in 1978, up 6% from 1977 and set a new record high. Harvested acreage at 166,000 was unchanged from the previous year.

The value of the peanut crop was a record $102 million, up 12% from a year earlier.

N. C. LEADING PRODUCER OF YAMS

North Carolina continued in 1978 as the leading producer of sweet potatoes in the United States. Harvested acreage for 1978 at 37,000 was up 12% from the prior year. Yield per acre increased 5 cwt. from the 1977 season to 140 cwt. Total production was 5,180,000 cwt. for 1978, which was 16% higher than the 1977 output.

The value of the 1978 crop totaled $47 million.

CORN CROP UP SHARPLY

Production of corn in North Carolina during 1978 totaled 121.6 million bushels, up 37% from the previous year's drought reduced crop. The record high crop of 150.4 million bushels was produced in 1976. Acreage harvested during 1978 at 1,600,000 was down 8 percent from the previous year. Yields averaged 76 bushels per acre compared with 51 bushels in 1977.

The value of the Tar Heel corn crop was $286 million. The average price per bushel increased to $2.35 per bushel from $2.01 in 1977.

COTTON CROP SMALLER

Cotton production in North Carolina during 1978 totaled 45,000 bales (480-lbs. net) down 15% from the previous year. Harvested acreage is estimated at a record low 42,000 acres compared with 83,000 a year earlier. Yield per acre averaged a rec-high 515 pounds. This compares with the drought reduced yield of 305 pounds in 1977. The previous record high yield was 489 pounds established in 1976.

FLUE-CURED CROP LARGER

Flue-cured tobacco production in North Carolina during 1978 is estimated at 828 million pounds. This is 15% above the previous year. Acreage harvested at 390,000 is up nearly 2% from 1977. Yields averaged 2,124 pounds per acre compared with 1,883 the previous year.

The season price averaged $1.33 per pound for the flue-cured leaf. The value of the 1978 crop was $1.1 billion, up 31% from the 1977 value of production.

SMALL CROP IN WHEAT PRODUCTION

North Carolina wheat production totaled 5.9 million bushels during 1978. This was down 1% from the previous year's production. The number of acres harvested totaled 180,000 in 1978 compared with 200,000 the year before. Yield per acre was estimated at 33 bushels compared with 30 bushels in 1977.

The value of the wheat crop produced was $18 million. The average price per bushel increased to $3.00 from $2.20 in 1977.

RECORD N. C. SOYBEAN CROP

Soybean production in North Carolina during 1978 totaled a record high 37.2 million bushels, up 28% from the previous year. The previous record high production was 34.8 million bushels established in 1973. The 1978 production came from a record high harvested acreage of 1,550,000 acres, up 17% from 1977. Yields averaged 24 bushels per acre, up 2 bushels from the previous year.

Soybean prices also showed a gain over the 1977 average. The average price per bushel was $6.45 which generated a total value of production at $240 million, 37% above the previous year.

CROPS: Acres, Yield and Production, 1976-78, North Carolina (Continued on opposite page)

CROPS	Unit	Acres			Yield Per Acre			Production		
		1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978
		Thousands			Units			Thousands		
GENERAL CROPS										
Corn: Planted	-	2,050	2,000	1,760	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain	Bu.	1,880	1,740	1,600	80.0	51.0	76.0	150,400	88,740	121,600
Harvested for Silage	Ton	140	150	130	12.5	10.0	13.5	1,750	1,500	1,755
Harvested for Forage 3/	-	10	25	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat: Planted	-	275	235	220	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain	Bu.	240	200	180	29.0	30.0	33.0	6,960	6,000	5,940
Oats: Planted	-	175	170	185	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain	Bu.	80	75	95	47.0	42.0	55.0	3,760	3,150	5,225
Barley: Planted	-	73	67	70	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain	Bu.	60	55	59	39.0	40.0	51.0	2,340	2,200	3,009
Rye: Planted	-	130	130	135	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain	Bu.	20	21	20	19.0	19.0	23.0	380	399	460
Sorghum: Planted	-	125	110	125	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain	Bu.	90	72	86	51.0	37.0	52.0	4,590	2,664	4,472
Harvested for Silage 4/	Ton	25	22	24	11.5	8.0	13.5	288	176	324
Harvested for Forage 3/	-	7	12	13	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans: Planted	-	1,220	1,450	1,620	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Beans	Bu.	1,120	1,320	1,550	22.0	22.0	24.0	24,640	29,040	37,200
Peanuts: Planted	-	168	169	169	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Nuts	Lb.	166	166	166	2,655	2,675	2,825	440,730	444,050	468,950
Cotton: Planted	-	75	87	45	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested 5/	Lb.	71	83	42	489	305	515	72	53	45
Cottonseed	Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	19	16
Tobacco Harvested: Type 11	Lb.	185.0	160.0	155.0	1,830	1,770	1,940	338,550	283,200	300,700
Type 12	Lb.	203.0	177.0	186.0	2,140	1,955	2,255	434,420	346,035	419,430
Type 13	Lb.	51.0	46.0	49.0	2,160	1,995	2,210	110,160	91,770	108,290
Type 11-13	Lb.	439.0	383.0	390.0	2,012	1,883	2,124	883,130	721,005	828,420
Type 31	Lb.	9.0	9.6	8.7	2,200	2,450	2,415	19,800	23,520	21,011
Type 11-31	Lb.	448.0	392.6	398.7	2,015	1,896	2,131	902,930	744,525	849,431
Lespedeza: Harvested for Seed	Lb.	2.4	1.4	2.0	140	140	180	336	196	360
Hay Harvested: All	Ton	350	350	360	1.46	1.49	1.70	510	521	612
Alfalfa	Ton	15	16	17	2.70	2.30	2.70	41	37	46
All Other	Ton	335	334	343	1.40	1.45	1.65	469	484	566
Sweet Potatoes: Harvested	Cwt.	33.0	33.0	37.0	130	135	140	4,290	4,455	5,180
Irish Potatoes: Harvested, All	Cwt.	17.0	17.4	17.0	140	156	144	2,385	2,711	2,450
Spring	Cwt.	13.0	13.4	13.0	145	165	150	1,885	2,211	1,950
Summer	Cwt.	4.0	4.0	4.0	125	125	125	500	500	500
VEGETABLES		Actual Acres Harvested								
Snap Beans: Fresh Market, All	Cwt.	6,800	6,700	6,640	33	31	33	222	210	217
Spring	Cwt.	2,700	2,700	2,600	27	24	22	73	65	57
Summer	Cwt.	3,800	3,700	3,700	36	36	40	137	133	148
Fall	Cwt.	300	300	340	40	40	35	12	12	12
Cabbage: All 6/	Cwt.	8,000	7,000	6,500	156	138	149	1,245	965	967
Spring	Cwt.	2,100	2,200	1,900	120	110	110	252	242	209
Summer	Cwt.	3,700	2,600	2,900	200	185	185	740	481	537
Fall	Cwt.	2,200	2,200	1,700	115	110	130	253	242	221
Sweet Corn	Cwt.	5,400	4,900	4,700	65	60	53	351	294	249
Cucumbers, Fresh Market	Cwt.	6,900	6,800	8,500	63	63	49	436	430	414
Green Peppers	Cwt.	7,900	7,000	6,700	36	37	37	284	259	248
Strawberries	Cwt.	2,100	2,100	2,100	21	20	15	44	42	32
Tomatoes	Cwt.	2,000	2,000	2,000	145	140	135	290	280	270
Watermelons	Cwt.	8,000	7,000	7,400	56	55	57	448	385	422
Processing Vegetables: All	Ton	29,180	29,560	31,150	-	-	-	82.50	75.30	81.40
Cucumbers	Ton	27,700	28,000	29,500	2.82	2.60	2.62	78.10	72.90	77.30
Snap Beans	Ton	1,300	1,400	1,500	2.27	1.32	1.33	2.95	1.85	2.00
FRUITS AND NUTS										
Apples, Commercial Crop	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	265,000	264,000	322,000
Peaches	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	25,000	35,000	45,000
Blueberries: Harvested	Flat	3,400	3,400	3,400	40	150	210	136	510	714
Grapes	Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.08	3.70	5.90
Pecans: All Varieties	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,800	2,000	4,000
Improved	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,900	1,100	2,800
Seedlings	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	900	900	1,200

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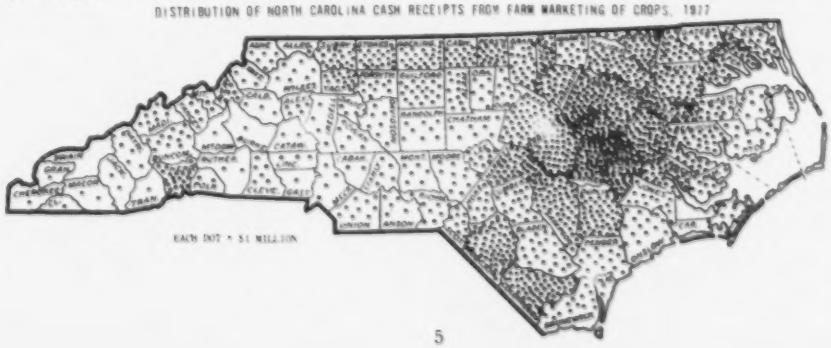
CROPS: Price and Value, 1976-78, North Carolina

CROPS	UNIT	Season Average Price Received By Farmers 1/			Value Of Production 2/		
		1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978
		Dollars			Thousand Dollars		
GENERAL CROPS							
Corn: Harvested for Grain	Bu.	2.38	2.01	2.35	357,952	178,367	285,760
Wheat: Harvested for Grain	Bu.	3.00	2.20	2.85	20,880	13,200	16,929
Oats: Harvested for Grain	Bu.	1.55	1.39	1.25	5,828	4,379	6,531
Barley: Harvested for Grain	Bu.	1.95	1.80	1.80	4,563	3,960	5,416
Rye: Harvested for Grain	Bu.	2.40	2.25	2.65	912	898	1,219
Sorghum: Harvested for Grain	Bu.	2.21	1.82	1.93	10,144	4,848	8,631
Soybeans: Harvested for Beans	Bu.	6.65	6.02	6.75	163,856	174,821	251,100
Peanuts: Harvested for Nuts	Lb.	.196	.206	.220	86,383	91,474	103,169
Cotton: Harvested	Lb.	.740	.505	.654	25,574	12,847	14,126
Cottonseed	Ton	99.00	65.00	115.00	2,475	1,235	1,840
Tobacco Harvested: Type 11	Lb.	1.080	1.132	1.315	365,634	320,582	395,421
Type 12	Lb.	1.125	1.183	1.342	488,723	409,359	562,875
Type 13	Lb.	1.120	1.235	1.356	123,379	113,336	146,841
Type 11-13	Lb.	1.107	1.170	1.334	977,736	843,277	1,105,137
Type 31	Lb.	1.096	1.122	1.280	21,701	26,389	26,894
Type 11-31	Lb.	1.107	1.168	1.333	999,437	869,666	1,132,031
Lespedeza: Harvested for Seed	Lb.	.610	.850	.790	205	167	284
Hay Harvested: All	Ton	64.00	73.00	64.00	32,640	38,033	39,168
Sweet Potatoes: Harvested	Cwt.	5.40	9.20	9.00	23,166	40,986	46,620
Irish Potatoes: Harvested	Cwt.	5.37	6.28	6.29	12,819	16,987	15,653
VEGETABLES							
Snap Beans: Fresh Market, All	Cwt.	22.18	23.43	25.20	4,924	4,920	5,469
Spring	Cwt.	18.30	19.30	27.00	1,336	1,255	1,539
Summer	Cwt.	24.00	25.60	24.70	3,288	3,405	3,656
Fall	Cwt.	25.00	21.70	22.80	300	260	274
Cabbage: All 6/	Cwt.	4.42	4.64	7.57	5,504	4,481	7,322
Spring	Cwt.	3.17	3.89	10.20	799	941	2,132
Summer	Cwt.	4.24	4.29	7.94	3,141	2,064	4,266
Fall	Cwt.	6.18	6.10	4.18	1,564	1,476	924
Sweet Corn	Cwt.	7.13	7.15	9.00	2,503	2,102	2,241
Cucumbers, Fresh Market	Cwt.	8.58	7.83	13.01	3,739	3,368	5,388
Green Peppers	Cwt.	13.60	12.10	20.30	3,862	3,134	5,034
Strawberries	Cwt.	46.00	44.00	35.00	2,024	1,848	1,120
Tomatoes	Cwt.	13.50	17.00	14.60	3,915	4,760	3,942
Watermelons	Cwt.	3.25	3.34	3.17	1,456	1,286	1,338
Processing Vegetables: All 7/	Ton	-	-	-	11,436	9,931	10,311
Cucumbers	Ton	139.00	132.00	128.00	10,856	9,623	9,894
Snap Beans	Ton	177.00	154.00	143.00	522	285	286
FRUITS AND NUTS							
Apples, Commercial Crop	Lb.	.0910	.0870	.0790	24,115	22,968	25,438
Peaches	Lb.	.1330	.1240	.1600	3,325	4,340	7,200
Blueberries	Flat	7.40	6.40	6.45	1,004	3,264	4,617
Grapes	Ton	266.00	320.00	300.00	1,085	1,184	1,770
Pecans: All Varieties	Lb.	.659	.561	.532	1,845	1,121	2,128
Improved	Lb.	.720	.610	.580	1,368	671	1,624
Seedlings	Lb.	.530	.500	.420	477	450	504

1/ The season average price is based on the part of the crop that is sold and is applied to the production estimate to compute the value of production. 2/ Values are for the crop year and should not be confused with calendar year income. 3/ Includes hogged or grazed and that cut and fed without removing grain. 4/ Green weight. 5/ Production in 480-lb. net weight bales. 6/ Includes small quantities for processing. 7/ Prices for processing vegetables are plant-door prices 8/ Not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations; quantities included in "All" processing vegetable totals.

DISTRIBUTION OF NORTH CAROLINA CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETING OF CROPS, 1977



CROPS: Acres, Yield and Production, 1976-78, United States (Continued on opposite page)

CROPS	UNIT	Acres			Yield Per Acre			Production		
		1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978
		Thousands			Units			Thousands		
GENERAL CROPS										
Corn: Planted	-	84,374	83,568	79,719	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain	Bu.	71,300	70,872	69,970	87.9	90.7	101.2	6,266,359	6,425,457	7,081,849
Harvested for Silage	Ton	11,274	9,307	8,587	10.4	12.5	13.5	117,813	116,708	116,048
Harvested for Forage 3/	-	856	604	460	-	-	-	-	-	-
All Wheat: Planted	-	80,202	75,119	66,094	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain	Bu.	70,771	66,461	56,839	30.3	30.6	31.6	2,142,362	2,036,318	1,798,712
Oats: Planted	-	16,734	17,733	16,385	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain	Bu.	11,946	13,452	11,531	45.7	55.8	52.2	546,315	750,901	601,477
Barley: Planted	-	9,157	10,621	9,987	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain	Bu.	8,297	9,564	9,233	44.9	43.9	48.4	372,461	420,159	447,008
Rye: Planted	-	2,652	2,652	2,985	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain	Bu.	721	704	995	20.7	24.6	26.3	14,951	17,312	26,160
Sorghum: Planted	-	18,402	16,993	16,483	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain	Bu.	14,723	14,092	13,581	48.9	56.3	55.1	719,817	792,983	748,410
Harvested for Silage 4/	Ton	772	842	714	9.3	10.9	10.9	7,168	9,168	7,757
Harvested for Forage 3/	-	1,883	1,633	1,578	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans: Planted	-	50,226	58,760	64,044	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Beans	Bu.	49,358	57,612	63,003	26.1	30.6	29.2	1,287,560	1,761,755	1,842,647
Peanuts: Planted	-	1,549	1,545	1,544	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Nuts	Lb.	1,522	1,516	1,512	2,465	2,457	2,639	3,750,890	3,726,015	3,988,624
Cotton: Planted	-	11,656	13,695	13,360	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested 5/	Lb.	10,914	13,275	12,370	465	520	421	10,581	14,389	10,856
Cottonseed	Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,122	5,521	4,269
Tobacco Harvested: All	Lb.	1,044.5	957.5	949.1	2,045	1,997	2,135	2,135,829	1,912,114	2,026,124
Flue-Cured	Lb.	666.6	589.3	589.0	1,974	1,917	2,090	1,316,257	1,129,710	1,231,222
Burley	Lb.	285.8	268.6	261.0	2,376	2,298	2,399	678,976	617,280	626,263
Lespedeza: Harvested for Seed	Lb.	57	57	50	190	206	212	10,912	11,670	10,531
Hay Harvested: All	Ton	60,311	60,658	61,495	1.99	2.16	2.31	120,006	131,313	142,264
Alfalfa	Ton	26,651	27,075	27,707	2.62	2.97	3.13	69,828	80,403	86,745
All Other	Ton	33,660	33,583	33,788	1.49	1.52	1.64	50,178	50,910	55,519
Sweet Potatoes: Harvested	Cwt.	117.8	112.4	119.4	114	110	116	13,432	12,395	13,862
Irish Potatoes: Harvested, All	Cwt.	1,374.5	1,358.7	1,368.1	260	261	263	357,674	354,576	360,467
Spring	Cwt.	98.4	91.4	90.9	251	250	198	24,722	22,870	17,963
Summer	Cwt.	118.7	115.2	111.9	190	191	189	22,541	21,982	21,181
VEGETABLES		Actual Acres Harvested								
Snap Beans: Fresh Market, All	Cwt.	85,120	78,250	84,560	37	37	34	3,126	2,884	2,868
Spring	Cwt.	22,200	22,600	21,150	37	36	35	829	820	730
Summer	Cwt.	31,510	31,100	28,800	37	37	38	1,151	1,162	1,089
Fall	Cwt.	16,380	18,890	20,030	40	37	37	658	692	734
Cabbage: All 6/	Cwt.	98,830	91,740	96,530	239	259	247	23,606	23,806	24,715
Spring	Cwt.	19,210	18,710	18,930	207	220	225	3,971	4,116	4,265
Summer	Cwt.	26,720	25,860	26,680	247	267	257	6,598	6,901	6,857
Fall	Cwt.	30,090	29,330	29,990	270	289	292	8,110	8,471	8,752
Sweet Corn	Cwt.	179,500	169,900	170,000	80	79	77	14,370	13,406	13,065
Cucumbers, Fresh Market	Cwt.	49,060	51,910	53,580	104	108	106	5,078	5,616	5,656
Green Peppers	Cwt.	53,750	55,900	53,100	98	95	99	5,255	5,333	5,255
Strawberries	Cwt.	33,750	34,300	36,300	169	190	178	5,713	6,509	6,476
Tomatoes	Cwt.	127,820	124,320	129,250	170	159	172	21,730	19,779	22,187
Watermelons	Cwt.	234,200	227,400	218,200	111	116	112	25,910	26,371	24,486
Processing Vegetables: All	Ton	1,624,640	1,638,120	1,611,290	-	-	-	11,049	12,612	11,320
Cucumbers	Ton	128,380	123,790	134,270	4.94	5.04	5.11	634	624	686
Snap Beans	Ton	237,170	257,640	280,250	2.49	2.62	2.56	591	675	717
FRUITS AND NUTS										
Apples, Commercial Crop	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,467,900	6,643,000	7,581,200
Peaches	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,642,400	2,852,200	2,561,000
Grapes	Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,093	4,296	4,318
Pecans: All Varieties	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	103,100	236,600	250,700
Improved	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	77,300	137,900	164,500
Seedlings	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	25,800	98,700	86,200

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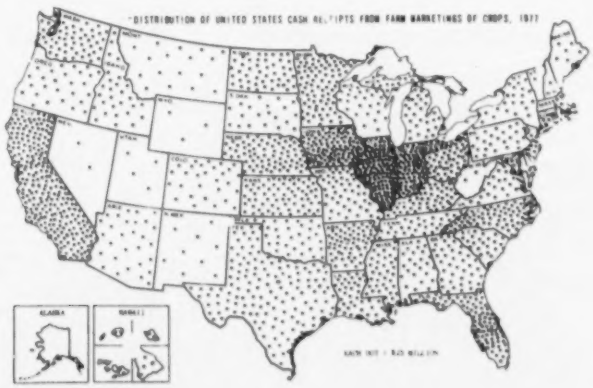
CROPS: Price and Value, 1976-78, United States

CROPS	UNIT	Season Average Price Received By Farmers 1/			Value Of Production 2/		
		1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978
GENERAL CROPS		Dollars			Thousand Dollars		
Corn: Harvested for Grain	Bu.	2.15	2.02	2.11	13,471,796	12,944,467	14,888,952
Wheat: Harvested for Grain	Bu.	2.73	2.33	2.94	5,851,443	4,742,686	5,280,467
Oats: Harvested for Grain	Bu.	1.56	1.10	1.18	845,188	824,703	704,526
Barley: Harvested for Grain	Bu.	2.25	1.78	1.90	829,716	744,900	843,608
Rye: Harvested for Grain	Bu.	2.47	2.05	1.98	37,199	36,029	52,569
Sorghum: Harvested for Grain	Bu.	2.03	1.82	1.94	1,450,085	1,433,991	1,444,654
Soybeans: Harvested for Beans	Bu.	6.81	5.88	6.65	8,768,979	10,352,409	12,244,852
Peanuts: Harvested for Nuts	Lb.	.200	.210	.211	750,260	783,302	841,568
Cotton: Harvested	Lb.	.641	.523	.588	3,254,954	3,614,938	3,063,821
Cottonseed	Ton	103.00	70.30	114.00	425,411	388,035	485,373
Tobacco Harvested: All	Lb.	1.125	1.186	1.324	2,403,723	2,268,359	2,681,700
Flue-Cured	Lb.	1.104	1.176	1.350	1,452,670	1,328,861	1,662,756
Burley	Lb.	1.141	1.200	1.310	774,998	740,626	820,407
Lespedeza: Harvested for Seed	Lb.	.440	.698	.450	4,792	8,030	4,766
Hay Harvested: All	Ton	60.30	54.00	50.00	6,810,799	6,782,482	6,579,701
Sweet Potatoes	Cwt.	7.49	10.50	10.10	100,059	129,592	140,710
Irish Potatoes	Cwt.	3.59	3.55	3.56	1,282,856	1,253,616	1,273,604
VEGETABLES							
Snap Beans: Fresh Market, All	Cwt.	19.90	21.10	25.40	62,253	60,965	72,719
Spring	Cwt.	16.20	19.30	26.90	13,464	15,859	19,653
Summer	Cwt.	20.10	21.20	24.90	23,127	24,672	27,139
Fall	Cwt.	21.20	21.20	19.90	13,951	14,696	14,606
Cabbage: All 6/	Cwt.	5.02	7.43	6.82	116,865	172,409	165,330
Spring	Cwt.	4.01	7.72	9.42	15,906	31,778	40,174
Summer	Cwt.	3.81	3.94	6.38	25,154	27,200	43,740
Fall	Cwt.	6.72	5.56	4.63	52,365	43,719	38,353
Sweet Corn	Cwt.	8.18	8.07	8.75	117,603	108,253	114,320
Cucumbers, Fresh Market	Cwt.	9.66	10.00	11.70	49,063	56,338	66,151
Green Peppers	Cwt.	16.80	16.40	19.80	85,248	87,637	104,069
Strawberries	Cwt.	32.80	33.00	31.00	187,291	214,947	200,533
Tomatoes	Cwt.	19.20	20.70	19.80	418,163	408,451	438,735
Watermelons	Cwt.	3.25	3.39	3.84	84,274	89,414	94,028
Processing Vegetables: All 7/	Ton	-	-	-	786,606	945,180	874,664
Cucumbers	Ton	126.00	126.00	130.00	79,751	78,651	88,820
Snap Beans	Ton	139.00	145.00	145.00	81,895	98,170	103,784
FRUITS AND NUTS							
Apples, Commercial Crop	Lb.	.0910	.1050	.1030	586,577	698,890	779,369
Peaches	Lb.	.0960	.0990	.1210	253,922	281,740	309,418
Grapes	Ton	155.00	194.00	231.00	635,570	834,794	997,213
Pecans: All Varieties	Lb.	.815	.577	.605	83,983	136,459	151,730
Improved	Lb.	.875	.660	.645	67,603	91,015	106,170
Seedlings	Lb.	.635	.460	.529	16,380	45,444	45,560

1/ The season average price is based on the part of the crop that is sold and is applied to the production estimate to compute the value of production. 2/ Values are for the crop year and should not be confused with calendar year income. 3/ Includes hogged or grazed and that cut and fed without removing grain. 4/ Green weight. 5/ Production in 480-lb. net weight bales. 6/ Includes small quantities for processing. 7/ Prices for processing vegetables are plant-door prices.



CROPS: Record Highs and Lows Through 1978

CROPS	Unit	Date Series Began	RECORD HIGH						RECORD LOW					
			Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production	
			Year	Acres	Year	Yield	Year	Production	Year	Acres	Year	Yield	Year	Production
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GENERAL CROPS														
Corn: All	Bu.	1866	1899	2,726	-	-	-	-	1962	1,420	-	-	-	-
For Grain	Bu.	1879	1899	2,720	1973	82.0	1976	150,400	1962	1,270	1932	15.0	1924	31,984
For Silage	Ton	1919	1977	150	1973	15.0	1969	1,960	1919	4	1932	4.5	1919	26
For Forage	-	1879	1922	111	-	-	-	-	1879	5	-	-	-	-
Wheat, For Grain	Bu.	1866	1901	800	1971	43.0	1961	11,368	1966	165	1885	4.0	1866	1,800
Oats, For Grain	Bu.	1866	1889	542	1971	56.0	1956	19,680	1977	75	1871	8.0	1917	2,295
Barley, For Grain	Bu.	1924	1961	74	1970	54.0	1971	3,869	1924	5	1932	15.0	1934	90
Rye, For Grain	Bu.	1866	1918	90	1970	24.0	1931	630	1971	14	1871	2.0	1871	122
Sorghum: All	Bu.	1924	1971	165	-	-	-	-	1929	18	-	-	-	-
For Grain	Bu.	1945	1971	120	1973	58.0	1971	6,240	1945	2	1946	23.0	1945	50
For Silage	Ton	1949	1972	34	1978	13.5	1971	390	1950	1	1956	7.0	1949	7
For Forage	-	1924	1931	31	-	-	-	-	1975	4	-	-	-	-
Soybeans, For Beans	Bu.	1924	1978	1,550	1969	26.0	1978	37,200	1924	75	1943	9.0	1933	1,026
Peanuts, For Nuts	Lb.	1909	1945	320	1973	2,810	1973	466,460	1920	126	1909	675	1911	119,350
Cotton, Lint 1/	Lb.	1866	1926	1,802	1978	513	1926	1,208	1978	43	1866	124	1967	43
Cottonseed	Ton	1909	-	-	-	-	1926	535	-	-	-	-	1978	16
Tobacco: Type 11	Lb.	1919	1939	320	1964	2,175	1964	356,700	1972	134	1919	483	1921	105,676
Type 12	Lb.	1919	1939	425	1964	2,375	1955	515,125	1972	157	1922	602	1922	126,345
Type 13	Lb.	1919	1939	98	1964	2,260	1975	134,230	1921	18	1924	500	1922	10,450
Total Flue-Cured	Lb.	1919	1939	843	1964	2,282	1955	978,775	1972	332	1924	585	1921	246,540
Type 31	Lb.	1919	1945	13	1969	2,570	1963	25,135	1921	2	1922	500	1915	1,412
All Types	Lb.	1866	1939	851	1964	2,280	1951	999,725	1866	16	1883	340	1866	7,840
Lespedeza Seed	Lb.	1928	1945	193	1949	245	1945	40,500	1977	1	1928	83	1977	196
Hay: All	Ton	1909	1945	1,374	1978	1.70	1949	1,399	1973	325	1925	.64	1911	398
Alfalfa	Ton	1924	1957	88	1978	2.70	1957	185	1931	5	1925	1.45	1925	7
All Other	Ton	1924	1945	1,363	1978	1.65	1945	1,328	1973	312	1925	.63	1925	397
Sweet Potatoes	Cwt.	1868	1932	101	1972	150	1934	5,491	1964	18	1900	34	1869	1,691
Irish Potatoes: All	Cwt.	1866	1943	110	1977	156	1946	7,774	1867	10	1911	29	1866	444
Spring	Cwt.	1949	1950	38	1977	165	1950	4,104	1964	11	1953	92	1964	1,424
Summer	Cwt.	1949	1950	24	1963	130	1950	1,643	1968	3	1953	64	1968	297
FRUITS AND NUTS														
Apples, Commercial Crop	Bu.	1934	-	-	-	-	1978	7,714	-	-	-	-	1955	40
Peaches, Total Crop	Bu.	1899	-	-	-	-	1941	3,167	-	-	-	-	1955	2/
Grapes	Ton	1909	-	-	-	-	1912	9	-	-	-	-	1957	1
Pecans: All Varieties	Lb.	1919	-	-	-	-	1971	6,500	-	-	-	-	1920	130
Improved	Lb.	1919	-	-	-	-	1971	4,300	-	-	-	-	1920	66
Seedlings	Lb.	1919	-	-	-	-	1971	2,200	-	-	-	-	1955	50

1/ Production in bales. 2/ Too small to estimate.

NOTE: In some cases the acreage or yield or production is identical for more than one year. In such cases the year shown is the latest year of occurrence.

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CROPS: Counties Leading In Production Of Selected Crops, 1978

CORN FOR GRAIN		SOYBEANS		TOBACCO		PEANUTS	
County	Bushels	County	Bushels	County	Pounds	County	Pounds
Robeson	5,966,000	Robeson	2,201,000	Pitt	47,831,000	Northampton	90,863,000
Wayne	5,627,000	Beaufort	1,655,000	Robeson	42,517,000	Halifax	82,642,000
Pitt	4,900,000	Union	1,495,000	Johnston	41,556,000	Bertie	59,878,000
Edgecombe	4,814,000	Columbus	1,268,000	Wilson	34,602,000	Martin	45,484,000
Duplin	4,692,000	Sampson	1,245,000	Wake	32,824,000	Hertford	41,601,000
Johnston	4,622,000	Duplin	1,120,000	Columbus	32,413,000	Edgecombe	41,216,000
Sampson	4,544,000	Pitt	1,005,000	Nash	31,611,000	Gates	21,799,000
Beaufort	4,426,000	Washington	994,000	Wayne	30,392,000	Chowan	18,908,000
Greene	3,901,000	Perquimans	990,000	Lenoir	29,984,000	Pitt	15,232,000
Wilson	3,698,000	Johnston	965,000	Sampson	27,394,000	Bladen	11,394,000

WHEAT		COTTON		SORGHUM GRAINS		BARLEY	
County	Bushels	County	480-Pounds Net Weight Bales	County	Bushels	County	Bushels
Rowan	248,500	Scotland	12,600	Union	1,430,000	Stanly	301,500
Stanly	209,000	Robeson	6,250	Stanly	468,000	Rowan	262,500
Wake	205,500	Northampton	5,300	Anson	397,500	Iredell	192,500
Union	194,000	Halifax	4,760	Cleveland	119,000	Lincoln	167,500
Randolph	192,000	Edgecombe	4,490	Pasquotank	110,500	Davidson	128,500
Camden	170,000	Sampson	3,010	Cabarrus	106,500	Cleveland	127,500
Pasquotank	159,000	Hoke	1,880	Franklin	99,100	Catawba	122,000
Currituck	153,500	Cleveland	1,530	Guilford	90,200	Harnett	107,000
Johnston	152,500	Cumberland	895	Randolph	86,500	Wake	105,500
Franklin	148,000	Nash	730	Rowan	79,700	Gaston	98,000

OATS		SWEET POTATOES		IRISH POTATOES		ALL HAY	
County	Bushels	County	Hundred-Weight	County	Hundred-Weight	County	Tons
Rowan	265,000	Johnston	1,547,000	Pasquotank	525,000	Ashe	28,950
Wake	240,000	Sampson	892,000	Pamlico	341,000	Iredell	27,800
Stanly	231,000	Columbus	576,000	Beaufort	302,500	Alleghany	24,000
Iredell	207,000	Nash	488,500	Carteret	183,000	Davidson	19,600
Randolph	198,000	Harnett	252,000	Camden	182,000	Buncombe	16,500
Guilford	176,000	Wilson	208,000	Tyrrell	142,500	Caldwell	16,000
Davidson	165,000	Duplin	150,000	Currituck	105,000	Mecklenburg	16,000
Union	162,500	Cumberland	115,000	Ashe	60,000	Wilkes	14,250
Cabarrus	162,000	Wake	109,500	Buncombe	59,400	Surry	14,000
Alamance	154,000	Wayne	105,000	Johnston	52,500	Richmond	13,800

CORN FOR GRAIN: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1977-78 (Continued on opposite page)

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Bushels		Bushels		Dollars	
Alleghany	120	160	52	81	6,230	12,950	12,450	33,700
Ashe	500	400	60	81	30,000	32,400	63,800	77,400
Avery	130	140	44	86	5,720	12,050	11,850	30,700
Caldwell	5,200	5,300	55	69	286,000	366,000	595,000	889,000
Surry	14,000	12,600	53	82	742,000	1,033,000	1,543,000	2,541,000
Watauga	350	350	55	86	19,250	30,100	41,000	76,800
Wilkes	6,000	5,100	44	73	264,000	372,500	547,000	887,000
Yadkin	18,000	14,100	34	69	612,000	973,000	1,273,000	2,374,000
N. MOUNTAIN	44,300	38,150	44.4	74.2	1,965,200	2,832,000	4,087,100	6,909,600
Buncombe	2,000	1,400	70	74	140,000	103,500	312,000	260,000
Burke	3,000	4,900	38	76	114,000	372,500	236,000	913,000
Cherokee	2,900	2,800	50	77	145,000	215,500	307,500	550,000
Clay	1,400	1,200	65	80	91,000	96,000	198,500	246,500
Graham	180	150	65	70	11,700	10,500	24,150	25,600
Haywood	500	300	75	77	37,500	23,100	79,500	57,800
Henderson	3,900	3,800	70	77	273,000	292,500	601,000	725,000
Jackson	320	500	55	70	17,600	34,950	36,350	90,700
McDowell	1,700	1,650	47	80	79,900	132,000	165,500	326,000
Macon	800	1,100	63	70	50,400	77,000	107,000	204,000
Madison	1,550	1,500	53	60	82,200	90,000	170,000	234,000
Mitchell	400	300	66	80	26,400	24,000	54,600	61,900
Polk	1,800	1,650	37	60	66,600	99,000	138,000	248,500
Rutherford	5,000	3,700	39	66	195,000	244,000	403,500	598,000
Swain	350	400	36	53	12,600	21,200	27,300	54,700
Transylvania	2,500	2,300	68	90	170,000	207,000	369,000	503,000
Yancey	1,300	1,150	45	67	58,500	77,000	118,000	202,500
W. MOUNTAIN	29,600	28,800	53.1	73.6	1,571,400	2,119,750	3,347,900	5,301,200
Alamance	11,900	10,600	27	68	321,500	721,000	643,000	1,817,000
Caswell	8,200	7,900	27	62	221,500	490,000	454,000	1,215,000
Durham	2,600	2,500	25	52	65,000	130,000	133,500	325,000
Forsyth	6,000	5,800	30	70	180,000	406,000	374,000	1,027,000
Franklin	12,900	13,000	29	62	374,000	806,000	748,000	1,951,000
Granville	10,000	8,700	30	52	300,000	452,000	615,000	1,107,000
Guilford	10,100	8,600	30	66	303,000	568,000	621,000	1,420,000
Orange	8,500	8,000	22	66	187,000	528,000	374,000	1,267,000
Person	9,500	9,000	25	53	237,500	477,000	463,000	1,159,000
Rockingham	8,500	7,500	35	63	297,500	473,000	610,000	1,178,000
Stokes	7,500	7,000	50	60	375,000	420,000	784,000	1,071,000
Vance	2,200	1,900	26	55	57,500	104,500	112,000	245,500
Warren	6,100	5,500	25	51	152,500	280,500	305,000	676,000
N. PIEDMONT	104,000	96,000	29.5	61.0	3,072,000	5,856,000	6,236,500	14,458,500
Alexander	3,100	3,100	28	62	86,800	192,000	173,500	487,500
Catawba	7,000	6,000	18	57	126,000	342,000	245,500	872,000
Chatham	7,900	9,500	29	67	229,000	637,000	470,000	1,580,000
Davidson	9,200	9,400	25	55	230,000	611,000	471,500	1,466,000
Davie	6,100	5,900	38	75	232,000	442,500	475,500	1,053,000
Iredell	7,200	9,600	36	69	259,000	662,000	540,000	1,635,000
Lee	3,500	3,900	20	59	70,000	230,000	143,500	561,000
Randolph	18,100	18,000	29	53	525,000	954,000	1,076,000	2,347,000
Rowan	9,300	9,100	29	59	269,500	537,000	552,000	1,326,000
Wake	15,000	17,500	20	63	300,000	1,103,000	600,000	2,625,000
C. PIEDMONT	86,400	92,000	26.9	62.1	2,327,300	5,710,500	4,747,500	13,952,500
Anson	7,800	7,200	27	83	210,500	598,000	431,500	1,429,000
Cabarrus	7,000	7,000	23	63	161,000	441,000	330,000	1,036,000
Cleveland	7,200	6,000	24	51	173,000	306,000	354,500	719,000
Gaston	1,900	2,700	20	52	38,000	140,500	80,000	338,500
Lincoln	4,500	2,500	23	58	103,500	145,000	207,000	345,000
Mecklenburg	2,900	3,000	26	57	75,400	171,000	154,500	400,000
Montgomery	5,000	4,900	18	50	90,000	245,000	187,500	598,000
Moore	6,700	7,500	24	56	161,000	420,000	328,000	1,029,000
Richmond	2,500	3,200	25	70	62,500	224,000	125,500	540,000
Stanly	14,000	14,000	33	80	462,000	1,120,000	901,000	2,722,000
Union	16,500	17,000	32	84	528,000	1,428,000	1,030,000	3,370,000
S. PIEDMONT	76,000	75,000	27.2	69.8	2,064,900	5,238,500	4,129,500	12,526,500

CORN FOR GRAIN: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1977-78

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Bushels		Bushels		Dollars	
Bertie	38,900	36,300	80	92	3,112,000	3,340,000	6,380,000	7,682,000
Camden	19,700	18,400	105	106	2,069,000	1,950,000	4,241,000	4,544,000
Chowan	14,100	13,500	95	91	1,340,000	1,228,000	2,479,000	2,874,000
Currituck	17,100	17,000	95	93	1,625,000	1,581,000	3,494,000	3,700,000
Dare	100	150	85	75	8,500	11,250	17,000	26,200
Edgecombe	58,500	54,700	46	88	2,691,000	4,814,000	5,517,000	11,265,000
Gates	20,000	19,500	74	70	1,480,000	1,365,000	3,034,000	3,071,000
Halifax	39,800	37,800	65	75	2,587,000	2,835,000	5,303,000	6,804,000
Hertford	22,000	19,200	70	89	1,540,000	1,709,000	3,003,000	3,862,000
Martin	30,800	31,200	65	82	2,002,000	2,558,000	4,104,000	5,986,000
Nash	37,400	31,900	30	68	1,122,000	2,169,000	2,300,000	5,206,000
Northampton	37,000	31,500	63	87	2,331,000	2,740,000	4,429,000	6,192,000
Pasquotank	20,500	19,200	105	112	2,153,000	2,150,000	4,414,000	4,988,000
Perquimans	23,500	22,000	105	112	2,468,000	2,464,000	5,060,000	5,687,000
Tyrrell	13,900	14,000	94	81	1,307,000	1,134,000	2,680,000	2,608,000
Washington	34,200	32,700	75	93	2,565,000	3,041,000	5,258,000	7,456,000
N. COASTAL	427,500	399,050	71.1	87.9	30,400,500	35,089,250	61,713,000	81,925,200
Beaufort	53,400	50,300	70	88	3,738,000	4,426,000	7,663,000	10,136,000
Carteret	4,300	3,800	95	48	408,500	182,500	756,000	448,000
Craven	24,300	21,300	58	67	1,409,000	1,427,000	2,888,000	3,355,000
Greene	52,300	45,900	45	85	2,354,000	3,901,000	4,355,000	8,933,000
Hyde	30,200	27,000	97	90	2,929,000	2,430,000	5,858,000	5,540,000
Johnston	70,500	65,100	35	71	2,468,000	4,622,000	4,813,000	11,000,000
Jones	26,000	20,800	44	63	1,144,000	1,310,000	2,231,000	3,052,000
Lenoir	56,300	49,700	46	71	2,590,000	3,529,000	5,180,000	8,117,000
Pamlico	11,300	9,900	90	85	1,017,000	842,000	2,085,000	1,987,000
Pitt	77,800	70,000	45	70	3,501,000	4,900,000	7,161,000	11,270,000
Wayne	83,600	66,200	44	85	3,678,000	5,627,000	7,540,000	13,055,000
Wilson	49,000	43,000	35	86	1,715,000	3,698,000	3,173,000	8,579,000
C. COASTAL	539,000	473,000	50.0	78.0	26,951,500	36,894,500	53,703,000	85,440,000
Bladen	31,900	29,800	43	70	1,372,000	2,086,000	2,837,000	4,840,000
Brunswick	16,400	15,000	56	64	918,000	960,000	1,805,000	2,342,000
Columbus	44,100	40,000	54	80	2,381,000	3,200,000	4,562,000	7,360,000
Cumberland	23,200	18,000	47	73	1,090,000	1,314,000	2,144,000	3,154,000
Duplin	70,500	68,000	55	69	3,878,000	4,692,000	7,430,000	10,978,000
Harnett	25,100	20,000	26	62	653,000	1,240,000	1,383,000	3,026,000
Hoke	6,800	6,500	35	70	238,000	455,000	468,000	1,047,000
New Hanover	1,600	1,600	60	69	96,200	110,500	199,000	259,500
Onslow	23,900	21,300	50	62	1,195,000	1,321,000	2,471,000	3,131,000
Pender	20,800	21,000	47	65	978,000	1,365,000	2,022,000	3,194,000
Robeson	84,900	78,500	47	76	3,990,000	5,966,000	7,645,000	13,662,000
Sampson	77,000	71,000	44	64	3,388,000	4,544,000	7,003,000	10,768,000
Scotland	7,000	7,300	30	83	210,000	606,000	433,500	1,485,000
S. COASTAL	433,200	398,000	47.1	70.0	20,387,200	27,859,500	40,402,500	65,246,500
STATE TOTAL	1,740,000	1,600,000	51.0	76.0	88,740,000	121,600,000	178,367,000	285,760,000

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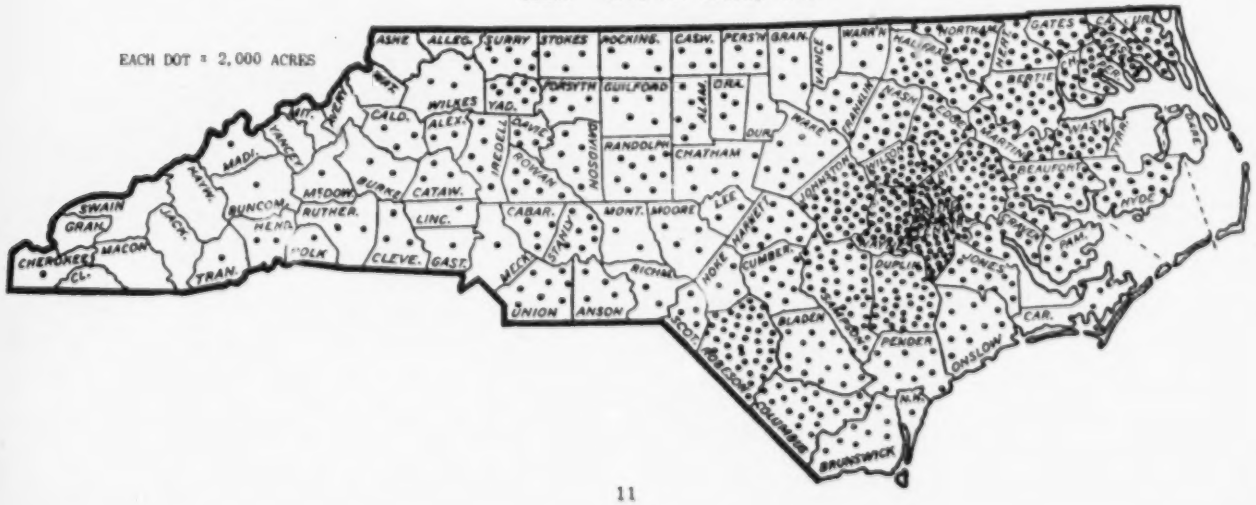

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Tons		Tons	
Alleghany	2,700	2,400	17.5	19.0	47,250	45,600
Ashe	1,800	1,600	20.0	19.0	36,000	30,350
Avery	0	150	18.0	23.0	2,700	3,400
Caldwell	2,500	2,250	11.0	9.0	27,500	20,250
Surry	3,250	3,000	13.0	21.0	42,250	63,000
Watauga	800	500	19.0	16.0	15,200	8,000
Wilkes	2,000	2,000	8.0	18.0	16,000	36,000
Yadkin	4,800	4,000	10.0	14.0	48,000	56,000
N. MOUNTAIN	18,000	15,900	13.1	16.5	234,900	262,600
Buncombe	6,100	5,500	15.5	12.0	94,600	66,000
Burke	800	700	10.0	16.0	8,000	11,200
Cherokee	400	360	17.0	20.0	6,800	7,200
Clay	600	550	16.5	19.0	9,900	10,450
Graham	120	100	18.0	20.0	2,160	2,000
Haywood	2,400	2,500	19.0	16.0	45,600	40,000
Henderson	4,350	3,950	17.0	12.0	74,000	47,400
Jackson	150	160	16.0	17.0	2,400	2,720
McDowell	600	470	15.5	19.0	9,300	8,910
Macon	1,100	1,160	15.5	20.0	17,050	23,200
Madison	1,200	1,320	15.5	15.0	18,600	19,800
Mitchell	250	240	8.0	20.0	2,000	4,800
Polk	600	450	13.0	14.0	7,800	6,300
Rutherford	800	610	5.5	16.0	4,400	9,720
Swain	180	120	12.0	15.0	2,160	1,800
Transylvania	800	730	15.0	15.0	12,000	10,950
Yancey	1,550	1,380	16.0	16.0	24,800	22,050
W. MOUNTAIN	22,000	20,300	15.5	14.5	341,570	294,500
Alamance	4,400	3,300	7.0	13.0	30,800	42,900
Caswell	1,700	1,500	9.0	7.0	15,300	10,500
Durham	500	350	8.0	13.0	4,000	4,500
Forsyth	1,600	1,300	6.0	14.0	9,610	18,200
Franklin	2,300	1,800	6.0	10.0	13,800	18,000
Granville	2,600	2,500	9.0	12.0	23,400	30,000
Guilford	3,100	3,100	7.0	15.0	21,700	46,500
Orange	5,400	3,900	8.0	15.0	43,200	58,600
Person	1,100	900	7.0	10.0	7,700	9,000
Rockingham	2,300	1,500	5.0	23.0	11,500	34,500
Stokes	1,000	700	11.0	21.0	11,000	14,700
Vance	750	600	7.0	17.0	5,250	10,200
Warren	1,250	1,000	8.0	11.0	10,000	11,000
N. PIEDMONT	28,000	22,450	7.4	13.8	207,260	308,600
Alexander	1,900	1,790	7.5	19.0	14,250	34,000
Catawba	2,800	1,970	8.0	12.0	22,400	23,600
Chatham	2,300	1,940	7.5	15.0	17,250	29,000
Davidson	2,400	1,880	6.0	13.0	14,400	24,400
Davie	4,500	3,370	8.0	10.0	36,000	33,700
Iredell	9,000	7,650	10.0	15.0	90,000	114,500
Lee	100	90	7.5	7.0	750	600
Randolph	2,500	2,980	5.5	9.0	13,750	26,700
Rowan	7,300	5,300	7.0	13.0	51,100	68,800
Wake	3,200	2,830	6.0	6.0	19,200	17,000
C. PIEDMONT	36,000	29,800	7.8	12.5	279,100	372,300
Anson	800	570	4.5	6.0	3,600	9,300
Cabarrus	2,300	1,960	9.5	13.0	21,850	25,450
Cleveland	4,500	4,540	6.5	14.0	29,250	63,500
Gaston	3,200	2,280	7.5	12.0	24,000	27,350
Lincoln	2,000	1,800	6.0	14.0	12,000	25,200
Mecklenburg	2,500	2,500	10.0	16.0	25,000	39,000
Montgomery	1,000	840	6.5	12.0	6,500	10,100
Moore	100	100	7.0	13.0	700	1,300
Richmond	100	100	6.0	13.0	600	1,300
Stanly	2,300	1,860	8.0	15.0	18,400	27,900
Union	3,200	3,100	8.0	16.0	25,600	48,600
S. PIEDMONT	22,000	19,650	7.6	14.2	167,500	279,000

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Tons		Tons	
Bertie	400	400	14.0	17.0	5,600	6,800
Camden	500	400	18.0	16.0	9,000	6,400
Chowan	*	*	*	*	*	*
Currituck	100	100	18.0	18.0	1,800	1,800
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	1,000	1,200	9.5	12.0	9,500	14,400
Gates	100	100	11.0	10.0	1,100	1,000
Halifax	1,500	1,200	11.0	10.0	16,500	12,000
Hertford	150	200	11.0	10.0	1,650	2,000
Martin	300	200	10.0	10.0	3,000	2,000
Nash	800	600	7.0	6.0	5,600	3,600
Northampton	550	450	10.0	6.0	5,500	2,700
Pasquotank	100	50	20.0	10.0	2,000	500
Perquimans	100	50	13.0	10.0	1,300	500
Tyrrell	100	50	11.0	10.0	1,100	500
Washington	300	300	16.0	5.0	4,800	1,500
N. COASTAL	6,000	5,300	11.4	10.5	68,450	55,700
Beaufort	800	900	15.0	11.0	12,000	9,900
Carteret	300	250	15.0	11.0	4,500	2,800
Craven	600	650	7.5	10.0	4,500	6,500
Greene	500	400	8.0	11.0	4,000	4,400
Hyde	1,400	1,300	16.0	11.0	22,400	14,300
Johnston	900	900	9.0	10.0	8,100	8,600
Jones	100	100	14.0	13.0	1,400	1,300
Lenoir	900	1,000	7.0	11.0	6,300	11,000
Pamlico	100	*	15.0	*	1,500	*
Pitt	1,300	1,300	12.0	12.0	15,600	15,600
Wayne	800	700	11.0	11.0	8,800	7,700
Wilson	300	200	9.0	13.0	2,700	2,600
C. COASTAL	8,000	7,700	11.5	11.0	91,800	84,700
Bladen	1,800	1,600	11.0	11.0	19,800	17,600
Brunswick	200	280	15.0	15.0	3,000	4,200
Columbus	1,000	900	12.0	15.0	12,000	13,500
Cumberland	900	900	12.0	15.0	10,800	13,500
Duplin	950	700	10.0	12.0	9,500	8,400
Harnett	1,500	1,300	11.0	10.0	16,500	13,000
Hoke	120	200	10.0	12.0	1,200	2,400
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*
Onslow	440	400	12.0	9.0	5,280	3,600
Pender	300	200	11.0	13.0	3,300	2,600
Robeson	800	650	10.0	12.0	8,000	7,800
Sampson	1,900	1,700	10.0	6.0	19,000	10,200
Scotland	50	50	8.0	14.0	400	700
S. COASTAL	10,000	8,900	10.9	11.0	109,420	97,600
STATE TOTAL	150,000	130,000	10.0	13.5	1,500,000	1,755,000

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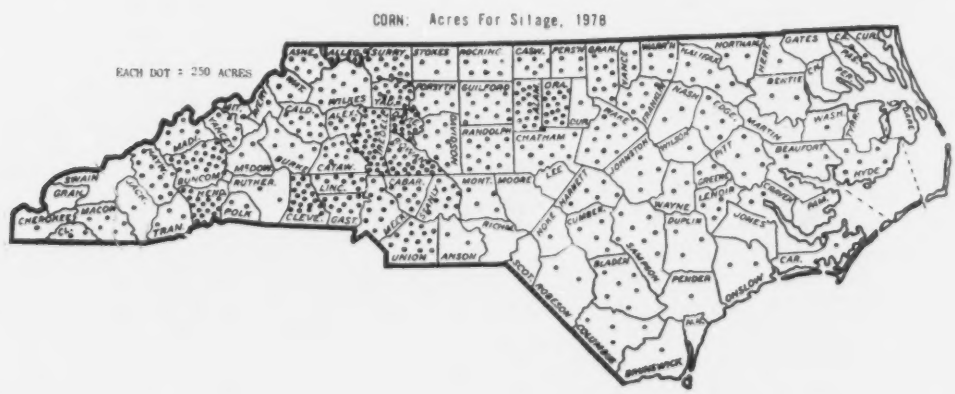

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Bushels		Bushels		Dollars	
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell	200	220	38	53	7,600	11,650	13,850	21,550
Surry	200	190	36	53	7,200	10,050	13,100	19,600
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilkes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yadkin	340	390	30	49	10,200	19,100	18,550	40,100
N. MOUNTAIN	790	860	33.9	50.6	26,750	43,520	48,680	86,540
Buncombe	50	60	44	49	2,200	2,940	4,000	5,600
Burke	80	100	40	45	3,200	4,500	5,820	9,450
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Polk	90	100	38	45	3,420	4,500	6,220	8,550
Rutherford	800	980	40	49	32,000	48,000	58,200	93,600
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. MOUNTAIN	1,060	1,290	40.3	48.8	42,710	62,930	77,710	122,880
Alamance	1,100	1,030	33	52	36,300	53,600	66,100	102,000
Caswell	540	380	35	54	18,900	20,500	34,950	40,000
Durham	510	670	32	55	16,300	36,850	29,650	68,200
Forsyth	350	220	35	60	12,250	13,200	23,250	26,400
Franklin	1,600	1,770	35	56	56,000	99,100	101,000	183,500
Granville	1,150	1,080	30	60	34,500	64,800	62,100	126,500
Guilford	1,520	1,640	31	55	47,100	90,200	85,700	176,000
Orange	340	360	30	52	10,200	18,700	18,350	35,550
Person	900	990	30	55	27,000	54,500	48,600	101,000
Rockingham	500	450	35	55	17,500	24,750	32,000	45,800
Stokes	100	200	34	55	3,400	11,000	6,190	22,000
Vance	250	460	35	49	8,750	22,550	15,900	43,900
Warren	900	1,150	40	50	36,000	57,500	64,800	106,500
N. PIEDMONT	9,760	10,400	33.2	54.5	324,200	567,250	588,590	1,077,350
Alexander	90	150	45	44	4,050	6,600	7,410	13,850
Catawba	100	150	30	49	3,000	7,350	5,460	13,950
Chatham	1,300	1,210	45	47	58,500	56,900	108,000	105,500
Davidson	1,200	1,550	35	49	42,000	76,000	75,600	152,000
Davie	100	130	33	43	3,300	5,590	5,870	10,600
Iredell	250	330	37	41	9,250	13,550	17,100	24,400
Lee	100	230	35	48	3,500	11,050	6,300	21,000
Randolph	1,580	1,840	36	47	56,900	86,500	103,500	160,000
Rowan	1,300	1,770	31	45	40,300	79,700	73,300	159,500
Wake	1,500	1,340	40	49	60,000	65,700	107,000	131,500
C. PIEDMONT	7,520	8,700	37.3	47.0	280,800	408,940	509,540	792,300
Anson	5,100	7,100	38	56	194,000	397,500	353,000	795,000
Cabarrus	2,300	2,370	37	45	85,100	106,500	155,000	202,500
Cleveland	1,800	2,530	35	47	63,000	119,000	114,500	232,000
Gaston	620	770	37	55	22,950	42,350	41,750	80,500
Lincoln	740	700	40	45	29,600	31,500	53,900	59,900
Mecklenburg	500	830	38	50	19,000	41,500	33,450	78,900
Montgomery	380	520	38	50	14,450	26,000	26,300	48,100
Moore	400	360	35	55	14,000	19,800	25,500	39,600
Richmond	390	410	37	47	14,350	19,250	27,250	40,450
Stanly	5,970	8,510	42	55	250,500	468,000	458,500	936,000
Union	22,800	27,500	36	52	821,000	1,430,000	1,494,000	2,717,000
S. PIEDMONT	41,000	51,600	37.3	52.4	1,527,950	2,701,400	2,781,150	5,229,950

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Bushels		Bushels		Dollars	
Bertie	170	170	37	52	6,290	8,840	11,450	17,250
Camden	150	130	48	55	7,200	7,150	13,100	13,600
Chowan	60	110	35	55	2,100	6,050	3,680	10,900
Currituck	110	120	45	55	4,950	6,600	9,010	12,550
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	260	390	35	47	9,100	18,350	16,550	33,950
Gates	50	70	34	56	1,700	3,920	3,090	7,640
Halifax	700	950	34	50	23,800	47,500	43,300	90,300
Hertford	120	140	30	53	3,600	7,420	6,550	14,850
Martin	400	320	40	56	16,000	17,900	29,000	35,800
Nash	320	400	40	52	12,800	20,800	23,000	40,550
Northampton	340	340	32	50	10,900	17,000	19,850	30,600
Pasquotank	1,560	2,010	45	55	70,200	110,500	130,000	210,000
Perquimans	100	140	40	45	4,000	6,300	7,280	11,950
Tyrrell	80	100	40	58	3,200	5,800	5,820	11,300
Washington	100	110	38	58	3,800	6,380	6,920	12,450
N. COASTAL	4,520	5,500	39.8	52.8	179,640	290,510	328,600	553,690
Beaufort	100	180	37	54	3,700	9,720	6,730	18,450
Carteret	1,000	530	38	45	38,000	23,850	69,200	46,500
Craven	90	110	34	50	3,060	5,500	5,570	10,750
Greene	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hyde	600	690	40	52	24,000	35,900	43,700	68,200
Johnston	400	480	42	50	16,800	24,000	31,400	48,000
Jones	*	70	*	60	*	4,200	*	8,400
Lenoir	150	270	35	45	5,250	12,150	9,560	23,100
Pamlico	100	100	38	55	3,800	5,500	6,920	10,450
Pitt	500	600	37	50	18,500	30,000	33,650	58,500
Wayne	500	430	40	60	20,000	25,800	36,400	50,300
Wilson	90	110	38	50	3,420	5,500	6,050	10,200
C. COASTAL	3,600	3,610	38.6	51.0	139,130	184,200	253,920	356,800
Bladen	150	330	38	45	5,700	14,850	10,350	28,950
Brunswick	100	100	42	50	4,200	5,000	7,640	9,750
Columbus	440	310	36	52	15,850	16,100	28,550	30,600
Cumberland	180	130	48	50	8,640	6,500	16,150	13,000
Duplin	530	680	36	54	19,100	36,700	34,750	73,400
Harnett	500	560	47	55	23,500	30,800	42,750	58,500
Hoke	350	360	40	50	14,000	18,000	25,500	35,100
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Onslow	350	240	36	55	12,600	13,200	22,700	25,100
Pender	100	130	35	53	3,500	6,890	6,370	13,100
Robeson	500	710	33	54	16,500	38,350	30,050	72,900
Sampson	480	460	35	55	16,800	25,300	30,600	48,050
Scotland	50	*	33	*	1,650	*	3,000	*
S. COASTAL	3,750	4,040	38.1	52.8	142,820	213,250	259,810	411,490
STATE TOTAL	72,000	86,000	37.0	52.0	2,664,000	4,472,000	4,848,000	8,631,000

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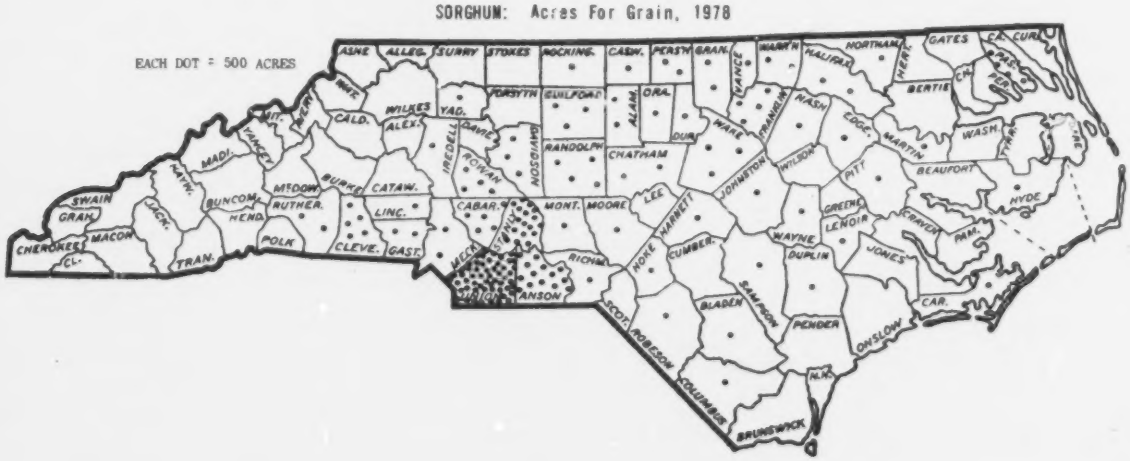

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Bushels		Bushels		Dollars	
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell	1,440	1,900	17	20	24,500	38,000	146,500	251,000
Surry	1,370	1,620	20	25	27,400	40,500	165,000	259,000
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilkes	560	730	19	21	10,650	15,350	64,300	99,000
Yadkin	6,500	8,100	16	26	104,000	210,500	627,000	1,347,000
N. MOUNTAIN	9,900	12,400	16.9	24.6	167,080	305,530	1,005,950	1,963,810
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	470	670	13	18	6,110	12,050	36,800	77,100
Cherokee	140	150	20	25	2,800	3,750	16,750	25,150
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Haywood	*	50	*	24	*	1,200	*	8,160
Henderson	90	100	18	26	1,620	2,600	9,680	17,950
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	200	230	21	25	4,200	5,750	25,100	39,100
Macon	60	70	17	25	1,020	1,750	6,100	11,800
Madison	90	120	17	24	1,530	2,880	9,140	19,450
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Polk	1,220	1,250	18	23	21,950	28,750	131,000	189,500
Rutherford	4,280	4,750	17	20	72,800	95,000	439,000	622,000
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	120	230	18	20	2,160	4,600	13,000	30,550
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. MOUNTAIN	6,800	7,750	17.1	20.8	116,480	161,370	700,220	1,061,260
Alamance	5,700	6,750	17	27	96,900	182,000	580,000	1,219,000
Caswell	2,190	2,430	18	23	39,400	55,900	235,500	369,000
Durham	1,830	1,930	16	27	29,300	52,100	177,000	341,500
Forsyth	1,930	2,250	15	24	29,000	54,000	172,000	364,500
Franklin	21,100	24,550	15	22	316,500	540,000	1,891,000	3,672,000
Granville	6,080	7,050	18	21	109,500	148,000	655,000	992,000
Guilford	6,050	6,750	17	27	104,000	182,500	622,000	1,241,000
Orange	3,070	3,450	14	24	43,000	82,800	257,000	555,000
Person	570	650	17	22	9,690	14,300	58,000	93,000
Rockingham	4,460	5,030	15	24	66,900	120,500	404,000	789,000
Stokes	1,000	1,420	17	21	17,000	29,800	103,500	196,500
Vance	8,220	9,300	18	24	148,000	223,000	885,000	1,494,000
Warren	10,400	12,300	17	21	177,000	258,500	1,058,000	1,745,000
N. PIEDMONT	72,600	83,860	16.3	23.2	1,186,190	1,943,400	7,098,000	13,071,500
Alexander	1,120	1,460	15	22	16,800	32,100	100,500	213,500
Catawba	8,400	9,900	14	24	117,500	237,500	714,000	1,591,000
Chatham	2,500	2,750	20	29	50,000	80,000	301,500	512,000
Davidson	4,830	5,950	18	25	86,900	149,000	524,000	961,000
Davie	1,750	2,380	19	24	33,350	57,100	199,500	365,500
Iredell	8,650	10,250	20	23	173,000	236,000	1,043,000	1,605,000
Lee	4,800	5,500	16	21	76,800	115,500	463,000	774,000
Randolph	6,400	7,400	19	24	121,500	177,500	732,000	1,172,000
Rowan	14,900	17,950	18	24	268,000	431,000	1,615,000	2,909,000
Wake	21,850	27,900	15	21	328,000	586,000	1,977,000	3,985,000
C. PIEDMONT	75,200	91,440	16.9	23.0	1,271,850	2,101,700	7,669,500	14,088,000
Anson	22,200	25,050	15	23	333,000	576,000	2,007,000	3,888,000
Cabarrus	9,000	10,350	14	20	126,000	207,000	759,000	1,387,000
Cleveland	23,800	27,800	12	23	285,500	639,000	1,721,000	4,217,000
Gaston	5,430	6,550	13	25	70,600	164,000	423,500	1,091,000
Lincoln	13,550	15,100	13	23	176,000	347,500	1,056,000	2,311,000
Mecklenburg	3,500	4,150	20	23	70,000	95,500	425,500	640,000
Montgomery	3,290	3,750	16	24	52,600	90,000	317,000	603,000
Moore	4,220	4,350	17	23	71,700	100,000	432,000	680,000
Richmond	7,510	8,550	17	20	127,500	171,000	775,000	1,146,000
Stanly	23,400	26,200	14	25	327,500	655,000	1,974,000	4,421,000
Union	57,000	65,000	17	23	969,000	1,495,000	5,840,000	10,017,000
S. PIEDMONT	172,900	196,850	15.1	23.1	2,60. 400	4,540,000	15,730,000	30,401,000

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Bushels		Bushels		Dollars	
Bertie	16,500	19,700	26	23	429,000	453,000	2,586,000	2,990,000
Camden	23,800	27,700	30	28	714,000	776,000	4,303,000	5,277,000
Chowan	13,600	15,300	30	27	408,000	413,000	2,479,000	2,829,000
Currituck	16,450	21,500	32	26	526,000	559,000	3,170,000	3,829,000
Dare	50	50	20	22	1,000	1,100	5,830	7,430
Edgecombe	23,450	27,000	23	23	539,000	621,000	3,248,000	4,192,000
Gates	10,700	12,800	22	23	235,500	294,500	1,419,000	2,017,000
Halifax	26,400	30,600	24	27	634,000	826,000	3,821,000	5,576,000
Hertford	7,400	10,200	22	22	163,000	224,500	966,000	1,538,000
Martin	20,150	22,900	25	24	504,000	550,000	3,038,000	3,768,000
Nash	23,800	26,650	18	22	428,500	586,000	2,582,000	3,985,000
Northampton	23,150	27,350	25	25	579,000	684,000	3,490,000	4,651,000
Pasquotank	28,050	32,100	33	28	926,000	899,000	5,581,000	6,023,000
Perquimans	29,950	35,350	30	28	899,000	990,000	5,463,000	6,732,000
Tyrrell	16,300	19,300	27	27	440,000	521,000	2,652,000	3,491,000
Washington	30,350	36,800	27	27	819,000	994,000	4,936,000	6,710,000
N. COASTAL	310,100	365,300	26.6	25.7	8,245,000	9,392,100	49,739,830	63,615,430
Beaufort	55,500	66,200	25	25	1,388,000	1,655,000	8,365,000	11,171,000
Carteret	5,100	5,650	30	26	153,000	147,000	930,000	970,000
Craven	21,300	25,700	22	25	468,500	643,000	2,824,000	4,308,000
Greene	6,800	7,750	20	22	136,000	170,500	800,000	1,168,000
Hyde	29,700	35,250	30	27	891,000	952,000	5,235,000	6,474,000
Johnston	43,450	48,250	21	20	912,000	965,000	5,496,000	6,466,000
Jones	15,000	16,900	21	22	315,000	372,000	1,898,000	2,530,000
Lenoir	18,650	22,200	22	22	410,500	488,500	2,474,000	3,322,000
Pamlico	18,150	21,150	27	26	490,000	550,000	2,953,000	3,658,000
Pitt	38,000	43,700	20	23	760,000	1,005,000	4,542,000	6,834,000
Wayne	37,450	43,000	25	22	936,000	946,000	5,641,000	6,480,000
Wilson	14,500	16,900	19	23	275,500	388,500	1,660,000	2,661,000
C. COASTAL	303,600	352,650	23.5	23.5	7,135,500	8,282,500	42,818,000	56,042,000
Bladen	24,300	27,200	23	26	559,000	707,000	3,369,000	4,737,000
Brunswick	10,350	11,850	27	27	279,500	319,500	1,628,000	2,141,000
Columbus	42,400	46,950	24	27	1,018,000	1,268,000	6,135,000	8,622,000
Cumberland	34,500	41,700	22	22	759,000	917,000	4,613,000	6,190,000
Duplin	38,700	48,700	25	23	968,000	1,120,000	5,834,000	7,616,000
Harnett	35,000	39,050	18	22	630,000	859,000	3,797,000	5,384,000
Hoke	21,850	24,600	20	24	437,000	590,000	2,634,000	4,012,000
New Hanover	1,100	1,350	25	24	27,500	32,400	165,500	217,000
Onslow	14,800	18,450	23	23	340,500	424,500	2,052,000	2,908,000
Pender	14,000	15,800	27	26	378,000	411,000	2,278,000	2,754,000
Robeson	70,600	91,700	22	24	1,535,000	2,201,000	9,255,000	14,857,000
Sampson	50,300	56,600	23	22	1,157,000	1,245,000	6,973,000	8,342,000
Scotland	11,000	15,800	20	24	220,000	379,000	1,326,000	2,577,000
S. COASTAL	368,900	439,750	22.5	23.8	8,308,500	10,473,400	50,059,500	70,857,000
STATE TOTAL	1,320,000	1,550,000	22.0	24.0	29,040,000	37,200,000	174,821,000	251,100,000

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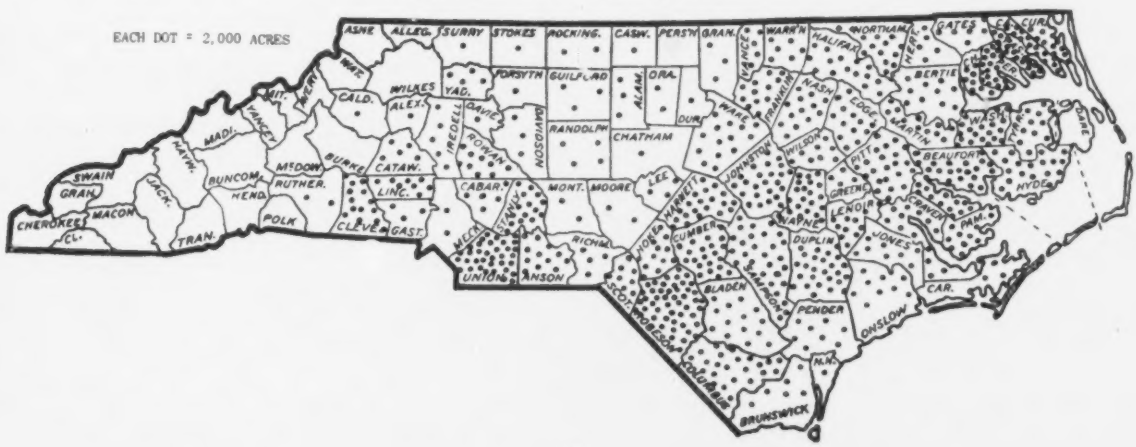

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Bushels		Bushels		Dollars	
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell	400	400	30	29	12,000	11,600	27,600	24,250
Surry	1,660	1,540	35	33	58,100	50,800	131,000	140,000
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilkes	300	370	31	31	9,300	11,450	20,450	32,600
Yadkin	5,000	4,360	28	32	140,000	139,500	308,000	391,000
N. MOUNTAIN	7,400	6,700	29.8	32.0	220,670	214,270	489,880	590,460
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	380	310	34	38	12,900	11,800	28,400	33,650
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	150	130	32	38	4,800	4,940	10,800	14,050
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Polk	240	230	34	35	8,140	8,050	17,100	22,950
Rutherford	1,170	1,060	33	39	38,600	41,300	84,900	118,000
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. MOUNTAIN	2,000	1,800	33.2	38.0	66,310	68,400	145,320	195,210
Alamance	4,070	3,860	31	33	126,000	127,500	277,000	363,500
Caswell	4,650	3,900	30	35	139,500	136,500	321,000	389,000
Durham	630	640	30	33	18,900	21,100	41,600	59,000
Forsyth	1,380	1,190	30	32	41,400	38,100	97,300	109,000
Franklin	4,400	4,630	24	32	105,500	148,000	237,500	386,500
Granville	2,850	2,470	25	33	71,200	81,500	156,500	200,500
Guilford	3,400	3,700	30	32	102,000	118,500	229,500	343,500
Orange	3,420	3,020	27	35	92,300	105,500	203,000	300,500
Person	5,980	4,930	28	29	167,500	143,000	360,000	394,500
Rockingham	5,200	4,780	28	31	145,500	148,000	313,000	435,000
Stokes	1,750	1,830	29	29	50,800	53,100	114,500	151,500
Vance	1,700	2,160	29	33	49,300	71,300	106,000	196,500
Warren	1,670	1,790	29	32	48,450	57,300	106,500	144,500
N. PIEDMONT	41,100	38,900	28.2	32.1	1,158,350	1,249,400	2,563,400	3,473,500
Alexander	600	550	31	35	18,600	19,250	42,800	51,100
Catawba	3,780	3,460	29	31	109,500	107,500	252,000	306,500
Chatham	1,780	1,310	31	34	55,200	44,550	121,500	127,000
Davidson	3,600	3,180	31	33	111,500	105,000	256,500	284,000
Davie	2,570	1,970	24	32	61,700	63,000	142,000	191,500
Iredell	4,000	3,110	20	31	80,000	96,400	184,000	279,500
Lee	470	380	29	34	13,600	12,900	29,900	31,850
Randolph	7,600	6,400	25	30	190,000	192,000	418,000	547,000
Rowan	10,700	8,010	29	31	310,500	248,500	683,000	720,000
Wake	6,200	6,230	31	33	192,000	205,500	422,500	585,000
C. PIEDMONT	41,300	34,600	27.7	31.6	1,142,600	1,094,600	2,552,200	3,123,450
Anson	1,450	1,300	23	36	33,350	46,800	73,400	136,000
Cabarrus	3,250	2,970	21	39	68,300	116,000	150,000	336,500
Cleveland	4,850	3,740	25	34	121,500	127,000	279,500	368,000
Gaston	1,400	1,350	29	30	40,600	40,500	89,300	102,000
Lincoln	3,700	2,530	26	38	96,200	96,100	221,500	279,500
Mecklenburg	1,000	720	30	40	30,000	28,800	60,000	89,100
Montgomery	1,250	1,120	23	32	28,750	35,850	58,900	105,500
Moore	1,400	1,320	24	30	33,600	39,600	73,900	115,000
Richmond	2,200	1,690	25	30	55,000	50,700	115,500	161,000
Stanly	6,300	5,810	29	36	182,500	209,000	420,000	546,000
Union	7,000	6,250	30	31	210,000	194,000	451,500	562,000
S. PIEDMONT	33,800	28,800	26.6	34.2	899,800	984,350	1,993,500	2,800,600

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		*Bushels*		*Bushels*		*Dollars*	
Bertie	690	460	37	34	25,550	15,650	57,500	46,850
Camden	5,250	4,850	39	35	204,500	170,000	450,000	517,000
Chowan	320	460	33	32	10,550	14,700	22,150	43,250
Currituck	4,200	4,260	33	36	138,500	153,500	298,000	437,500
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	2,750	2,430	31	37	85,200	89,900	183,000	264,000
Gates	300	360	35	31	10,500	11,150	23,100	32,800
Halifax	3,000	2,000	26	37	78,000	74,000	171,500	206,500
Hertford	300	360	27	32	8,100	11,500	17,400	32,800
Martin	370	260	33	30	12,200	7,800	26,850	20,400
Nash	4,320	4,330	33	34	142,500	147,000	306,500	419,000
Northampton	1,850	1,710	29	31	53,600	53,000	118,000	156,500
Pasquotank	5,900	5,120	43	31	253,500	159,000	545,000	459,500
Perquimans	3,000	2,620	44	29	132,000	76,000	277,000	220,500
Tyrrell	1,950	1,550	33	33	64,400	51,200	145,000	146,000
Washington	1,800	2,030	33	34	59,400	69,000	130,500	210,000
N. COASTAL	36,000	32,800	35.5	33.6	1,278,500	1,103,400	2,771,500	3,212,600
Beaufort	2,900	2,570	32	36	92,800	92,500	204,000	263,500
Carteret	130	110	30	30	3,900	3,300	8,580	9,550
Craven	770	630	25	35	19,250	22,050	42,350	62,800
Greene	500	550	36	40	18,000	22,000	39,600	63,700
Hyde	2,750	2,450	37	33	102,000	80,900	224,500	234,000
Johnston	5,000	4,490	29	34	145,000	152,500	312,000	413,000
Jones	450	410	27	33	12,150	13,550	26,750	38,550
Lenoir	930	780	31	32	28,850	24,950	60,600	71,200
Pamlico	3,200	2,730	36	33	115,000	90,100	259,000	272,000
Pitt	900	1,180	28	31	25,200	36,600	52,900	106,000
Wayne	3,770	3,490	29	35	109,500	122,000	235,500	361,500
Wilson	2,700	3,310	28	32	75,600	106,000	158,500	312,000
C. COASTAL	24,000	22,700	31.1	33.8	747,250	766,450	1,624,280	2,207,800
Bladen	680	640	31	30	21,100	19,200	44,300	57,500
Brunswick	200	190	31	33	6,200	6,250	13,950	17,800
Columbus	300	230	34	33	10,200	7,580	23,450	21,600
Cumberland	2,180	2,110	35	31	76,300	65,400	160,500	186,000
Duplin	1,800	1,950	35	38	63,000	74,100	132,500	214,500
Harnett	2,650	2,370	36	31	95,400	73,500	205,000	209,500
Hoke	1,200	890	37	32	44,400	28,500	102,000	81,200
New Hanover	70	70	36	33	2,520	2,300	5,670	6,880
Onslow	460	380	35	36	16,100	13,700	35,400	41,000
Pender	330	270	34	30	11,200	8,100	24,650	23,100
Robeson	2,180	2,190	29	34	63,200	74,500	132,500	212,500
Sampson	1,600	1,670	34	36	54,400	60,100	130,500	180,000
Scotland	750	740	30	35	22,500	25,900	49,500	73,800
S. COASTAL	14,400	13,700	33.8	33.5	486,520	459,130	1,059,920	1,325,380
STATE TOTAL	200,000	180,000	30.0	33.0	6,000,000	5,940,000	13,200,000	16,929,000

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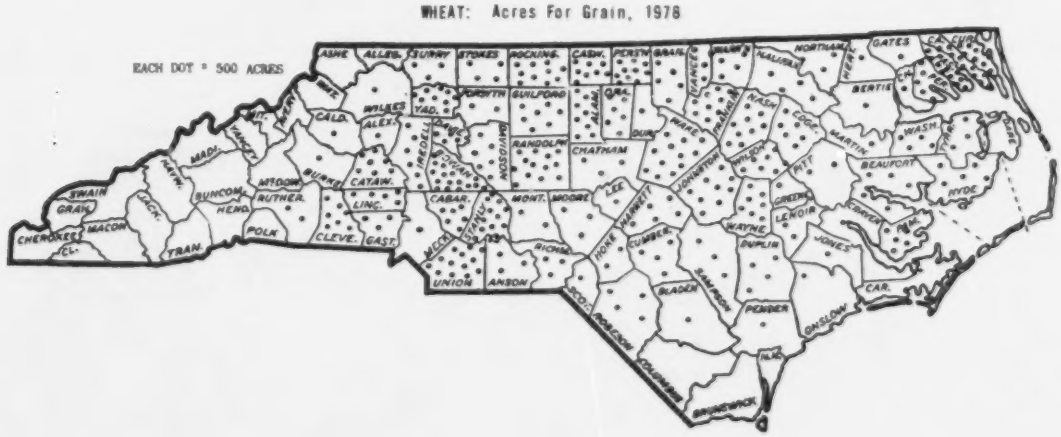

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Bushels		Bushels		Dollars	
Alleghany	*	80	*	50	*	4,000	*	4,600
Ashe	100	80	40	45	4,000	3,600	5,850	4,320
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell	400	480	42	48	16,800	23,050	23,350	29,950
Surry	700	770	40	50	28,000	38,500	38,900	48,150
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilkes	200	230	40	45	8,000	10,350	11,100	13,450
Yadkin	1,300	1,600	40	40	52,000	64,000	69,900	76,800
N. MOUNTAIN	2,800	3,300	40.4	44.4	113,000	146,400	154,910	180,890
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	250	280	35	46	8,750	12,900	12,150	16,750
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	250	290	35	45	8,750	13,050	12,550	15,000
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	50	70	38	50	1,900	3,500	2,740	4,730
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Polk	300	350	38	45	11,400	15,750	15,850	20,500
Rutherford	720	840	36	45	26,150	37,800	36,350	47,250
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. MOUNTAIN	1,700	2,000	36.5	45.6	62,000	91,230	86,700	114,330
Alamance	2,100	2,700	40	57	84,000	154,000	119,500	192,500
Caswell	1,200	1,450	31	55	37,000	79,800	48,150	104,000
Durham	500	600	30	50	15,000	30,000	21,500	36,000
Forsyth	950	1,200	44	55	41,800	66,000	54,300	85,800
Franklin	900	1,300	39	50	35,100	65,000	45,650	78,000
Granville	700	1,050	42	60	29,400	63,000	42,150	72,500
Guilford	2,300	3,200	45	55	103,500	176,000	146,000	220,000
Orange	1,600	1,950	40	57	64,000	111,000	83,200	144,500
Person	1,500	1,800	40	60	60,000	108,000	83,400	135,000
Rockingham	1,100	1,200	38	55	41,800	66,000	61,900	89,100
Stokes	800	1,000	40	45	32,000	45,000	44,500	60,700
Vance	450	550	42	55	18,900	30,250	25,400	34,800
Warren	500	700	39	45	19,500	31,500	25,400	37,800
N. PIEDMONT	14,600	18,700	39.9	54.8	582,000	1,025,550	801,050	1,290,700
Alexander	650	750	35	49	22,800	36,750	30,650	44,100
Catawba	1,300	1,950	41	50	53,300	97,500	74,000	117,000
Chatham	1,000	1,300	46	64	46,000	83,200	63,900	104,000
Davidson	2,350	3,000	31	55	73,000	165,000	101,500	214,500
Davie	900	1,100	36	50	32,400	55,000	48,000	66,000
Iredell	3,800	4,600	46	45	174,500	207,000	244,500	269,000
Lee	900	1,100	45	60	40,500	66,000	56,400	85,800
Randolph	2,800	3,600	40	55	112,000	198,000	157,500	247,500
Rowan	4,100	5,300	35	50	143,500	265,000	195,000	331,000
Wake	3,200	4,000	40	60	128,000	240,000	180,500	288,000
C. PIEDMONT	21,000	26,700	39.3	52.9	826,000	1,413,450	1,151,950	1,766,900
Anson	1,200	1,750	50	69	60,000	121,000	83,400	157,500
Cabarrus	1,900	2,700	42	60	79,800	162,000	111,000	210,500
Cleveland	1,700	2,350	40	60	68,000	141,000	94,600	176,500
Gaston	1,350	1,700	42	55	56,700	93,500	78,900	117,000
Lincoln	2,100	2,800	40	50	84,000	140,000	118,500	175,000
Mecklenburg	1,000	1,250	41	59	41,000	73,800	55,300	88,600
Montgomery	750	900	42	45	31,500	40,500	45,200	54,700
Moore	2,000	2,000	42	50	84,000	100,000	118,500	130,000
Richmond	1,100	1,350	39	60	43,000	81,000	57,800	105,500
Stanly	3,500	4,200	42	55	147,000	231,000	208,000	265,500
Union	2,100	2,500	50	65	105,000	162,500	152,500	203,000
S. PIEDMONT	18,700	23,500	42.8	57.3	800,000	1,346,300	1,123,700	1,683,800

OATS FOR GRAIN 1/: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1977-78

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Bushels		Bushels		Dollars	
Bertie	60	70	53	65	3,180	4,550	4,420	5,450
Camden	500	650	55	65	27,500	42,250	38,250	50,700
Chowan	50	100	50	60	2,500	6,000	3,720	7,500
Currituck	200	300	54	60	10,800	18,000	15,500	21,600
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	600	750	54	65	32,400	48,750	45,000	63,400
Gates	60	80	42	65	2,520	5,200	3,390	6,240
Halifax	450	600	47	60	21,150	36,000	28,500	43,200
Hertford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nash	800	1,060	50	55	40,000	58,300	55,600	70,000
Northampton	150	200	50	60	7,500	12,000	10,450	14,400
Pasquotank	300	400	57	60	17,100	24,000	23,800	30,000
Perquimans	700	800	57	55	39,900	44,000	53,700	52,800
Tyrrell	70	80	52	55	3,640	4,400	4,900	5,500
Washington	100	130	52	54	5,200	7,020	7,230	8,420
N. COASTAL	4,100	5,300	52.7	59.3	216,000	314,270	297,970	383,960
Beaufort	1,600	1,900	50	50	80,000	95,000	111,000	109,000
Carteret	100	150	49	50	4,900	7,500	6,820	8,630
Craven	100	150	42	65	4,200	9,750	5,840	11,200
Greene	150	200	53	60	7,950	12,000	11,000	14,400
Hyde	100	100	44	55	4,400	5,500	6,120	6,600
Johnston	900	1,150	45	65	40,500	74,800	54,500	89,800
Jones	50	50	52	55	2,600	2,750	3,610	3,300
Lenoir	400	500	44	50	17,600	25,000	26,050	31,250
Pamlico	150	250	56	60	8,400	15,000	11,650	18,750
Pitt	150	250	51	60	7,650	15,000	10,650	18,750
Wayne	700	900	44	65	30,800	58,500	42,800	76,000
Wilson	900	1,200	50	60	45,000	72,000	60,500	93,600
C. COASTAL	5,300	6,800	47.9	57.8	254,000	392,800	350,540	481,280
Bladen	500	700	41	45	20,500	31,500	28,500	40,950
Brunswick	400	450	44	60	17,600	27,000	24,500	36,450
Columbus	700	1,000	42	59	29,400	59,000	42,200	70,800
Cumberland	1,000	1,350	45	55	45,000	74,300	66,300	100,500
Duplin	500	650	42	60	21,000	39,000	28,250	52,600
Harnett	1,750	2,100	44	60	77,000	126,000	103,500	157,500
Hoke	100	200	41	45	4,100	9,000	5,700	10,800
New Hanover	50	50	41	54	2,050	2,700	2,850	3,240
Onslow	50	50	48	50	2,400	2,500	3,340	3,000
Pender	100	150	42	60	4,200	9,000	5,840	10,800
Robeson	700	900	42	55	29,400	49,500	40,850	59,400
Sampson	600	700	50	65	30,000	45,500	41,700	59,100
Scotland	350	400	41	50	14,350	20,000	18,650	24,000
S. COASTAL	6,800	8,700	43.7	56.9	297,000	495,000	412,180	629,140
STATE TOTAL	75,000	95,000	42.0	55.0	3,150,000	5,225,000	4,379,000	6,531,000

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Bushels		Bushels		Dollars	
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell	340	380	49	45	16,650	17,000	29,950	31,150
Surry	170	160	50	44	8,500	7,040	15,300	12,750
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilkes	120	120	50	46	6,000	5,520	11,400	10,400
Yadkin	840	910	47	55	39,500	50,000	67,500	90,500
N. MOUNTAIN	1,490	1,590	48.0	50.7	71,500	80,570	125,660	146,770
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	240	260	36	50	8,640	13,000	16,750	24,500
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rutherford	240	280	41	56	9,840	15,700	19,200	27,950
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. MOUNTAIN	600	650	38.3	52.2	22,990	33,920	44,240	62,310
Alamance	1,290	1,400	40	45	51,600	63,000	87,700	104,000
Caswell	310	310	43	52	13,350	16,100	24,050	29,800
Durham	470	500	47	47	22,100	23,500	38,700	46,550
Forsyth	360	410	45	49	16,200	20,100	29,150	36,400
Franklin	1,540	1,760	40	42	61,600	73,900	104,500	131,500
Granville	320	330	35	54	11,200	17,800	20,700	29,000
Guilford	1,230	1,320	45	43	55,400	56,700	99,700	106,000
Orange	1,860	2,020	40	40	74,400	80,800	141,500	160,000
Person	170	170	31	54	5,270	9,180	9,490	16,800
Rockingham	390	410	43	46	16,750	18,850	28,500	43,950
Stokes	60	60	46	49	2,760	2,940	4,970	5,730
Vance	450	450	44	47	19,800	21,150	33,650	41,250
Warren	900	950	40	55	36,000	52,200	63,000	78,300
N. PIEDMONT	9,350	10,090	41.3	45.2	386,430	456,220	685,610	829,280
Alexander	400	400	35	43	14,000	17,200	23,800	33,550
Catawba	1,850	2,390	39	51	72,200	122,000	138,000	222,000
Chatham	870	1,000	38	47	33,050	47,000	59,500	69,600
Davidson	2,360	2,730	38	47	89,700	128,500	161,500	243,000
Davie	1,130	1,150	40	56	45,200	64,400	81,400	125,500
Iredell	3,500	3,630	41	53	143,500	192,500	258,000	358,000
Lee	450	500	33	45	14,800	22,500	25,900	40,950
Randolph	950	980	36	45	34,200	44,100	63,900	86,000
Rowan	5,170	5,250	33	50	170,500	262,500	307,000	464,500
Wake	1,870	1,920	32	55	59,800	105,500	104,500	188,000
C. PIEDMONT	18,550	19,950	36.5	50.4	676,950	1,006,200	1,223,500	1,831,100
Anson	800	800	32	50	25,600	40,000	46,100	73,200
Cabarrus	1,530	1,630	35	50	53,600	81,500	93,800	155,000
Cleveland	1,930	2,060	41	62	79,100	127,500	142,500	223,000
Gaston	1,880	1,960	39	50	73,300	98,000	139,500	178,000
Lincoln	2,580	2,840	37	59	95,500	167,500	172,000	316,500
Mecklenburg	760	780	36	52	27,350	40,550	49,250	73,000
Montgomery	220	240	34	51	7,480	12,250	13,450	20,350
Moore	310	370	30	50	9,300	18,500	16,300	31,800
Richmond	300	320	33	50	9,900	16,000	17,800	27,200
Stanly	4,300	5,110	40	59	172,000	301,500	309,500	530,000
Union	890	890	41	49	36,500	43,600	65,700	74,100
S. PIEDMONT	15,500	17,000	38.0	55.7	589,630	946,900	1,065,900	1,702,150

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Bushels		Bushels		Dollars	
Bertie	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Camden	240	260	52	52	12,500	13,500	23,100	23,650
Chowan	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Currituck	180	180	45	50	8,100	9,000	15,000	15,750
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	210	220	46	55	9,600	12,100	17,300	17,550
Gates	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Halifax	730	760	47	45	34,300	34,200	61,700	58,100
Hertford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nash	800	900	46	52	36,800	46,800	71,800	70,200
Northampton	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank	370	390	55	48	20,350	18,700	38,650	34,950
Perquimans	420	440	52	50	21,850	22,000	39,350	37,400
Tyrrell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Washington	220	250	46	55	10,100	13,750	18,200	23,400
N. COASTAL	3,310	3,540	48.4	49.9	160,310	176,770	297,170	292,490
Beaufort	430	430	37	47	15,900	20,200	28,600	35,350
Carteret	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Craven	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Greene	60	60	34	55	2,040	3,300	3,670	6,100
Hyde	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	650	610	35	41	22,750	25,000	38,700	42,000
Jones	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lenoir	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pitt	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	550	520	36	45	19,800	23,400	35,650	45,650
Wilson	190	190	39	52	7,410	9,880	12,600	17,800
C. COASTAL	1,940	1,870	36.1	45.2	70,100	84,550	123,180	151,860
Bladen	50	50	48	51	2,400	2,550	4,200	4,340
Brunswick	70	70	47	44	3,290	3,080	5,920	5,250
Columbus	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cumberland	610	640	55	46	33,550	29,450	60,500	61,900
Duplin	120	120	52	50	6,240	6,000	11,250	10,200
Harnett	1,890	1,910	53	56	100,000	107,000	175,000	205,000
Hoke	450	450	49	45	22,050	20,250	39,700	27,350
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Onslow	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pender	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Robeson	440	440	49	52	21,550	22,900	38,800	30,900
Sampson	370	370	54	53	20,000	19,600	36,000	33,300
Scotland	160	160	49	50	7,840	8,000	14,100	13,600
S. COASTAL	4,260	4,310	52.1	51.9	222,090	223,870	394,740	400,040
STATE TOTAL	55,000	59,000	40.0	51.0	2,200,000	3,009,000	3,960,000	5,416,000

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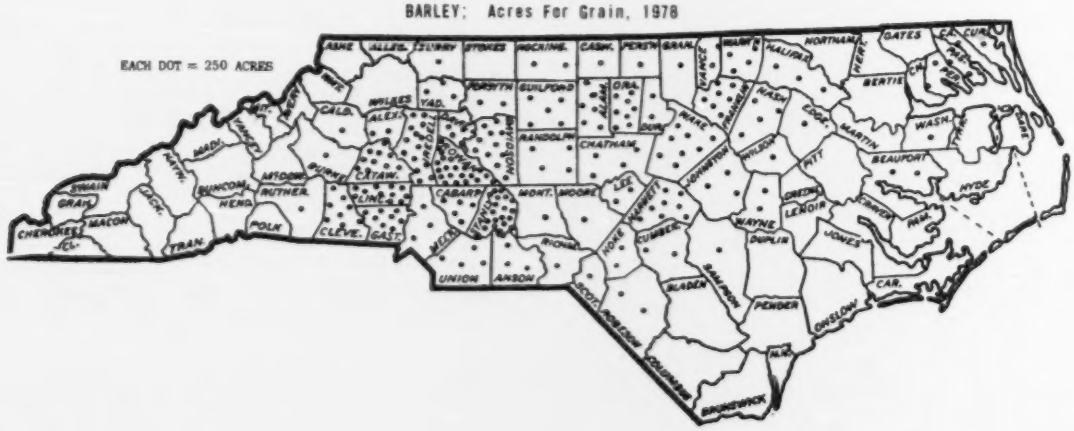

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Pounds		Thousand Pounds		Dollars	
Alleghany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ashe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Avery	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Caldwell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Surry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Watauga	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wilkes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yadkin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
N. MOUNTAIN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Buncombe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burke	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cherokee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Graham	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haywood	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Henderson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jackson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
McDowell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Macon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Madison	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mitchell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Polk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rutherford	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Swain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transylvania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yancey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
W. MOUNTAIN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Alamance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Caswell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Durham	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forsyth	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Franklin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Granville	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guilford	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Orange	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Person	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rockingham	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stokes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Warren	65	55	2,130	2,720	138	150	29,100	32,900
N. PIEDMONT	65	55	2,131	2,718	138	150	29,100	32,900
Alexander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Catawba	10	5	560	700	6	4	1,230	770
Chatham	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Davidson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Davie	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iredell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Randolph	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rowan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wake	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
C. PIEDMONT	10	5	560	700	6	4	1,230	770
Anson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cabarrus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cleveland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gaston	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lincoln	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mecklenburg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montgomery	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moore	5	10	690	680	3	7	730	1,500
Richmond	110	15	1,150	1,040	127	15	26,500	3,450
Stanly	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Union	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
S. PIEDMONT	115	25	1,130	896	130	22	27,230	4,950

PEANUTS: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1977-78

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Pounds		Thousand Pounds		Dollars	
Bertie	23,400	23,550	2,620	2,545	61,308	59,878	12,567,000	13,173,000
Camden	45	5	1,145	1,380	52	7	10,550	1,530
Chowan	6,250	6,520	2,930	2,900	18,313	18,908	3,846,000	4,160,000
Currituck	160	160	2,000	1,665	320	266	63,900	58,700
Dare	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Edgecombe	16,300	16,100	2,425	2,560	39,528	41,216	8,103,000	8,655,000
Gates	7,400	7,440	3,055	2,930	22,607	21,799	4,634,000	4,796,000
Halifax	27,450	27,550	2,475	3,000	67,939	82,642	13,926,000	17,839,000
Hertford	14,650	14,700	2,545	2,830	37,284	41,601	7,643,000	9,152,000
Martin	15,500	15,550	3,135	2,925	48,593	45,484	10,204,000	10,234,000
Nash	3,000	2,960	2,075	2,730	6,225	8,081	1,276,000	1,778,000
Northampton	29,450	29,650	2,835	3,065	83,491	90,863	17,114,000	20,444,000
Pasquotank	80	75	3,315	3,000	265	225	54,300	49,500
Perquimans	3,200	3,210	3,140	2,955	10,048	9,486	2,060,000	2,087,000
Tyrrell	65	65	1,840	2,355	119	153	24,500	33,650
Washington	3,080	3,150	2,555	2,575	7,869	8,111	1,652,000	1,784,000
N. COASTAL	150,030	150,685	2,693	2,845	403,961	428,720	83,178,250	94,245,380
Beaufort	500	480	2,175	2,290	1,088	1,099	228,500	242,000
Carteret	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Craven	30	40	2,610	2,540	78	102	16,050	23,350
Greene	250	260	2,230	2,145	558	557	114,500	122,500
Hyde	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Johnston	100	110	1,680	1,740	168	192	33,600	40,200
Jones	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lenoir	-	40	-	1,485	-	59	-	14,250
Pamlico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pitt	6,530	6,400	2,400	2,380	15,672	15,232	3,213,000	3,351,000
Wayne	15	20	2,335	2,250	35	45	7,380	9,450
Wilson	175	175	1,400	1,815	245	317	51,400	66,900
C. COASTAL	7,600	7,525	2,348	2,339	17,844	17,603	3,664,430	3,869,650
Bladen	4,140	3,830	2,845	2,975	11,778	11,394	2,473,000	2,507,000
Brunswick	40	35	1,990	3,030	80	106	16,300	23,300
Columbus	1,360	1,330	3,300	3,795	4,488	5,047	920,000	1,161,000
Cumberland	420	385	1,675	2,810	704	1,082	144,500	238,000
Duplin	20	10	1,600	2,200	32	22	6,560	4,850
Harnett	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hoke	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Hanover	250	260	2,015	1,880	504	489	103,500	107,500
Onslow	110	135	1,525	1,530	168	207	34,400	45,450
Pender	950	940	2,235	2,215	2,123	2,082	446,000	458,000
Robeson	380	290	2,485	2,445	944	709	193,500	156,000
Sampson	510	460	2,255	2,740	1,150	1,260	236,000	302,500
Scotland	-	30	-	1,775	-	53	-	11,750
S. COASTAL	8,180	7,705	2,686	2,914	21,971	22,451	4,573,760	5,015,350
STATE TOTAL	166,000	166,000	2,675	2,825	444,050	468,950	91,474,000	103,169,000

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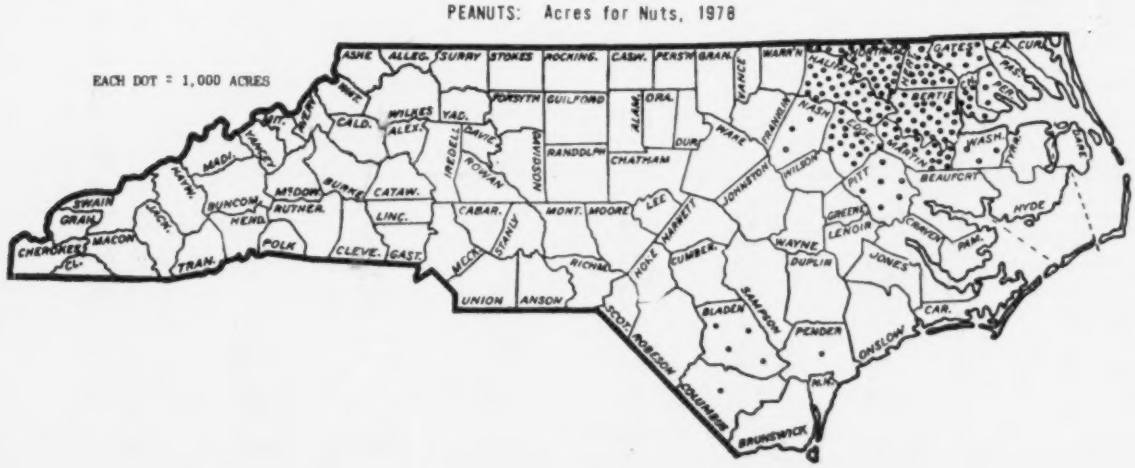

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Pounds of Lint		480-Pound Bales		Dollars	
Alleghany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ashe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Avery	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Caldwell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Surry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Watauga	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wilkes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yadkin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
N. MOUNTAIN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Buncombe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burke	12	2	80	120	2	1	480	320
Cherokee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Graham	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haywood	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Henderson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jackson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
McDowell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Macon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Madison	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mitchell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Polk	-	1	-	285	-	1	-	190
Rutherford	900	400	129	626	240	520	58,000	165,500
Swain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transylvania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yancey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
W. MOUNTAIN	912	403	128	620	242	522	58,480	166,010
Alamance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Caswell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Durham	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forsyth	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Franklin	110	79	159	513	40	84	8,750	26,750
Granville	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guilford	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Orange	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Person	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rockingham	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stokes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vance	10	-	100	-	2	-	510	-
Warren	100	-	115	-	25	-	5,870	-
N. PIEDMONT	220	79	136	513	67	84	15,130	26,750
Alexander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Catawba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chatham	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Davidson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Davie	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iredell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lee	3	-	158	-	1	-	240	-
Randolph	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rowan	45	2	269	266	25	2	5,930	530
Wake	5	1	200	506	2	1	490	330
C. PIEDMONT	53	3	256	326	28	3	6,660	860
Anson	1,580	115	104	435	345	105	80,900	33,000
Cabarrus	20	20	50	236	2	10	500	3,000
Cleveland	3,470	1,970	161	361	1,170	1,530	280,000	486,500
Gaston	450	165	84	465	80	160	18,600	50,500
Lincoln	80	120	73	356	14	89	2,900	28,200
Mecklenburg	330	-	42	-	30	-	7,030	-
Montgomery	-	420	-	390	-	355	-	113,500
Moore	20	1	48	480	2	1	470	320
Richmond	530	140	142	290	160	84	36,700	26,800
Stanly	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Union	410	240	83	400	70	200	17,000	63,300
S. PIEDMONT	6,890	3,191	130	371	1,873	2,534	444,100	805,120

COTTON: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1977-78

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Pounds Of Lint		480-Pound Bales		Dollars	
Bertie	270	125	248	581	140	150	33,500	47,900
Camden	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chowan	580	340	331	600	400	425	97,700	134,500
Currituck	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dare	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Edgecombe	5,740	3,700	433	583	5,200	4,490	1,242,000	1,337,000
Gates	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Halifax	9,820	3,800	405	601	8,300	4,760	2,035,000	1,507,000
Hertford	540	300	296	640	335	400	80,000	123,000
Martin	570	220	405	635	480	290	115,500	92,200
Nash	1,460	590	328	600	1,000	730	243,500	233,500
Northampton	10,050	3,950	366	647	7,700	5,200	1,880,000	1,662,000
Pasquotank	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Perquimans	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tyrrell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Washington	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
N. COASTAL	29,030	13,025	389	611	23,555	16,545	5,727,200	5,137,100
Beaufort	-	1	-	492	-	1	-	320
Carteret	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Craven	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Greene	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hyde	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Johnston	140	69	143	425	45	60	9,800	19,350
Jones	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lenoir	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pamlico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pitt	30	38	567	580	35	45	8,330	14,550
Wayne	-	1	-	360	-	1	-	240
Wilson	85	80	394	525	70	85	17,100	25,200
C. COASTAL	255	189	276	498	150	192	35,230	59,660
Bladen	70	-	220	-	35	-	7,700	-
Brunswick	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Columbus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cumberland	1,900	650	269	662	1,070	895	261,000	279,500
Duplin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harnett	1,650	460	182	504	630	485	150,500	153,000
Hoke	4,800	1,750	399	517	4,000	1,880	976,000	597,000
New Hanover	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Onslow	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pender	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Robeson	15,600	7,500	229	400	7,450	6,250	1,823,000	1,979,000
Sampson	4,220	2,150	424	673	3,750	3,010	912,000	955,000
Scotland	17,400	12,600	279	480	10,150	12,600	2,430,000	3,967,000
S. COASTAL	45,640	25,110	283	480	27,085	25,120	6,560,200	7,930,500
STATE TOTAL	83,000	42,000	305	515	53,000	45,000	12,847,000	14,126,000

COTTON: Acres Harvested, 1978

SWEET POTATOES: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1977-78 (Cont'd. on opposite page)

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Hundredweight		Hundredweight		Dollars	
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell	50	60	100	110	5,000	6,600	46,000	79,200
Surry	40	20	105	150	4,200	3,000	38,650	36,000
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilkes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yadkin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
N. MOUNTAIN	100	90	102	126	10,160	11,350	93,490	134,450
Buncombe	25	25	95	95	2,380	2,380	21,900	28,550
Burke	25	20	90	120	2,250	2,400	20,700	28,800
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	25	*	100	*	2,500	*	30,000
Mitchell	-	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Polk	40	20	95	100	3,400	2,000	31,300	24,000
Rutherford	180	160	100	100	18,000	16,000	165,500	192,000
Swain	25	*	80	*	2,000	*	18,400	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. MOUNTAIN	355	315	95	100	33,610	31,490	309,150	377,850
Alamance	20	25	110	130	2,200	3,250	20,250	39,000
Caswell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Durham	40	50	120	135	4,800	6,750	44,150	74,300
Forsyth	50	40	85	75	4,250	3,000	39,100	33,000
Franklin	250	300	105	120	26,250	36,000	241,500	432,000
Granville	20	30	100	100	2,000	3,000	18,400	33,000
Guilford	70	50	95	95	6,650	4,750	61,200	52,300
Orange	45	45	115	135	5,180	6,080	47,650	66,900
Person	60	90	115	140	6,900	12,600	63,500	151,000
Rockingham	40	40	80	85	3,200	3,400	29,450	37,400
Stokes	40	45	85	85	3,400	3,840	31,300	42,250
Vance	30	25	125	125	3,750	3,130	34,500	34,450
Warren	80	80	110	135	8,800	10,800	80,900	129,500
N. PIEDMONT	755	835	104	117	78,180	97,730	719,260	1,137,550
Alexander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Catawba	30	45	110	140	3,300	6,300	30,350	69,300
Chatham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	100	110	90	130	9,000	14,300	82,800	157,500
Davie	50	50	110	95	5,500	4,750	50,600	52,300
Iredell	20	20	80	90	1,600	1,800	14,700	19,800
Lee	30	30	110	150	3,300	4,500	30,350	49,500
Randolph	20	20	80	80	1,600	1,600	14,700	17,600
Rowan	40	35	115	140	4,600	4,900	42,300	54,000
Wake	610	730	125	150	76,300	109,500	702,000	1,314,000
C. PIEDMONT	900	1,040	117	142	105,200	147,650	967,800	1,734,000
Anson	60	50	115	100	6,900	5,000	63,500	55,000
Cabarrus	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	20	20	100	90	2,000	1,800	18,400	19,800
Gaston	30	35	105	100	3,150	3,500	29,000	38,500
Lincoln	40	45	115	115	4,600	5,180	42,300	57,000
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	30	30	110	120	3,300	3,600	30,350	39,600
Moore	120	275	120	110	14,400	30,250	132,500	333,000
Richmond	30	80	90	150	2,700	12,000	24,850	132,000
Stanly	20	20	110	90	2,200	1,800	20,250	19,800
Union	20	20	90	95	1,800	1,900	16,550	20,900
S. PIEDMONT	390	600	111	113	43,150	67,880	397,050	746,950

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Hundredweight		Hundredweight		Dollars	
Bertie	30	90	110	120	3,300	10,800	30,350	119,000
Camden	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	300	300	130	150	39,000	45,000	359,000	495,000
Currituck	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	100	100	135	140	13,500	14,000	124,000	154,000
Gates	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Halifax	200	200	105	140	21,000	28,000	193,000	256,000
Hertford	60	70	130	135	7,800	9,450	71,800	103,000
Martin	80	80	140	140	11,200	11,200	103,000	123,000
Nash	2,850	3,150	150	155	427,500	488,500	3,933,000	4,885,000
Northampton	140	150	160	170	22,400	25,500	206,000	242,500
Pasquotank	20	20	135	120	2,700	2,400	24,850	27,600
Perquimans	30	30	115	150	3,450	4,500	31,750	49,500
Tyrrell	30	50	95	110	2,850	5,500	26,200	55,000
Washington	30	20	135	140	4,050	2,800	37,250	30,800
N. COASTAL	3,900	4,300	144	152	561,950	652,300	5,169,650	6,593,150
Beaufort	80	160	135	155	10,800	24,800	99,400	273,000
Carteret	40	40	135	155	5,400	6,200	49,700	62,000
Craven	40	50	130	150	5,200	7,500	47,850	82,500
Greene	260	300	145	135	37,700	40,500	347,000	364,500
Hyde	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	10,750	11,900	140	130	1,505,000	1,547,000	13,846,000	13,537,000
Jones	20	30	100	140	2,000	4,200	18,400	45,350
Lenoir	300	340	130	145	39,000	49,300	359,000	542,000
Pamlico	20	20	135	125	2,700	2,500	24,850	27,500
Pitt	60	110	120	140	7,200	15,400	66,200	169,500
Wayne	680	750	130	140	88,400	105,000	814,000	1,145,000
Wilson	1,200	1,300	130	160	156,000	208,000	1,435,000	2,080,000
C. COASTAL	13,450	15,000	138	134	1,859,400	2,010,400	17,107,400	18,328,350
Bladen	170	225	140	160	23,800	36,000	219,000	345,500
Brunswick	230	280	110	140	25,300	39,200	232,500	377,000
Columbus	3,200	3,600	135	160	432,000	576,000	3,974,000	5,184,000
Cumberland	800	720	145	160	116,000	115,000	1,067,000	1,001,000
Duplin	1,000	1,000	140	150	140,000	150,000	1,288,000	1,575,000
Harnett	1,800	2,100	125	120	225,000	252,000	2,070,000	2,293,000
Hoke	30	50	125	140	3,750	7,000	34,500	73,500
New Hanover	50	100	125	150	6,250	15,000	57,500	105,000
Onslow	50	40	145	160	7,250	6,400	66,700	67,200
Pender	230	225	120	110	27,600	24,750	254,000	235,000
Robeson	260	330	140	145	36,400	47,850	335,000	478,500
Sampson	5,330	6,150	135	145	720,000	892,000	6,624,000	8,786,000
Scotland	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
S. COASTAL	13,150	14,820	134	146	1,763,350	2,161,200	16,222,200	20,520,700
STATE TOTAL	33,000	37,000	135	140	4,455,000	5,180,000	40,986,000	49,573,000

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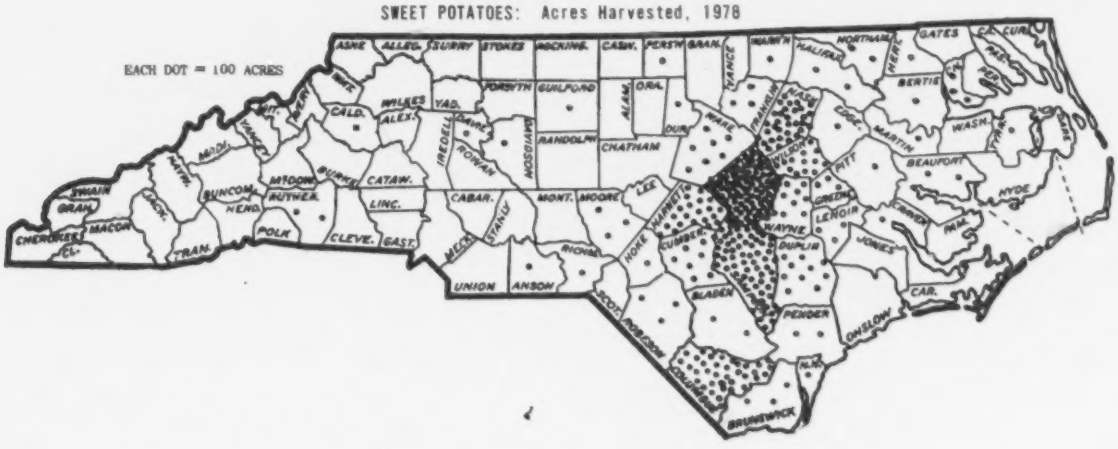
SWEET POTATOES: Acres Harvested, 1978



IRISH POTATOES: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1977-78 (Continued on opposite page)

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Hundredweight		Hundredweight		Dollars	
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe	400	400	140	150	56,000	60,000	327,500	541,000
Avery	50	50	135	150	6,750	7,500	39,500	67,600
Caldwell	400	365	140	140	56,000	51,000	327,500	459,500
Surry	145	145	140	145	20,300	21,050	119,000	190,000
Watauga	80	80	135	130	10,800	10,400	63,000	93,800
Wilkes	100	100	130	140	13,000	14,000	76,000	126,500
Yadkin	75	75	135	135	10,150	10,150	59,400	91,500
N. MOUNTAIN	1,255	1,220	138	143	173,700	174,830	1,016,000	1,576,500
Buncombe	450	440	130	135	58,500	59,400	342,500	536,000
Burke	35	35	140	140	4,900	4,900	28,650	44,200
Cherokee	120	120	145	115	17,400	13,800	102,000	124,500
Clay	25	25	125	120	3,130	3,000	18,300	27,050
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Haywood	50	50	145	115	7,250	5,750	42,400	51,900
Henderson	100	100	155	145	15,500	14,500	90,700	131,000
Jackson	20	20	145	135	2,900	2,700	16,950	24,350
McDowell	50	50	150	130	7,500	6,500	43,900	58,600
Macon	80	80	120	115	9,600	9,200	56,200	83,000
Madison	100	100	155	145	15,500	14,500	90,700	131,000
Mitchell	55	55	140	150	7,700	8,250	45,050	74,400
Polk	20	20	120	125	2,400	2,500	14,050	22,550
Rutherford	90	90	105	100	9,450	9,000	55,300	81,200
Swain	150	140	105	130	15,750	18,200	92,100	164,000
Transylvania	20	20	140	140	2,800	2,800	16,400	25,250
Yancey	80	80	105	105	8,400	8,400	49,150	75,800
W. MOUNTAIN	1,450	1,430	131	129	189,305	184,000	1,108,000	1,660,220
Alamance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caswell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Durham	25	25	115	120	2,870	3,000	16,750	27,050
Forsyth	100	110	135	115	13,500	12,650	79,000	114,000
Franklin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	*	20	*	125	*	2,500	*	22,550
Guilford	80	90	95	110	7,600	9,900	44,400	89,300
Orange	50	50	110	125	5,500	6,250	32,150	56,400
Person	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rockingham	*	20	*	80	*	1,600	*	14,450
Stokes	200	220	90	100	18,000	22,000	105,500	198,500
Vance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Warren	50	55	135	135	6,750	7,420	39,450	66,900
N. PIEDMONT	535	600	106	110	56,920	66,270	333,000	597,720
Alexander	75	65	110	100	8,250	6,500	48,250	58,600
Catawba	60	50	110	100	6,600	5,000	38,600	45,100
Chatham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	200	180	90	80	18,000	14,400	105,000	130,000
Davie	120	110	90	75	10,800	8,250	63,200	74,400
Iredell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rowan	20	20	90	115	1,800	2,300	10,550	20,750
Wake	20	20	130	110	2,600	2,200	15,200	19,850
C. PIEDMONT	530	480	98	89	52,025	42,480	304,000	383,200
Anson	60	60	130	125	7,800	7,500	45,600	67,600
Cabarrus	20	40	125	130	2,500	5,200	14,600	46,900
Cleveland	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gaston	45	45	120	120	5,400	5,400	31,600	48,700
Lincoln	*	20	*	130	*	2,600	*	23,450
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	20	20	110	90	2,200	1,800	12,850	16,250
Moore	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Richmond	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Stanly	40	40	130	115	5,200	4,600	30,400	41,500
Union	20	25	120	125	2,400	3,120	14,050	28,150
S. PIEDMONT	230	270	122	120	28,050	32,420	164,000	292,360

IRISH POTATOES: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1977-78

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Hundredweight		Hundredweight		Dollars	
Bertie	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Camden	1,350	1,300	160	140	216,000	182,000	1,471,000	992,000
Chowan	40	40	150	130	6,000	5,100	28,900	25,600
Currituck	750	750	175	140	131,500	105,000	720,000	572,000
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gates	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Halifax	25	25	150	125	3,750	3,100	26,500	17,500
Hertford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nash	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank	3,600	3,500	175	150	630,000	525,000	4,116,000	2,888,000
Perquimans	50	50	140	140	7,000	7,000	49,650	39,600
Tyrrell	1,000	950	165	150	165,000	142,500	948,000	827,000
Washington	25	20	160	130	4,000	2,600	27,200	14,700
N. COASTAL	6,845	6,640	170	147	1,164,000	973,000	7,391,000	5,380,400
Beaufort	2,000	1,950	160	155	320,000	302,500	2,298,000	1,785,000
Carteret	1,200	1,170	155	155	186,000	183,000	1,274,000	1,071,000
Craven	20	20	150	155	3,000	3,100	21,000	17,500
Greene	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hyde	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	350	350	150	150	52,500	52,500	314,500	275,500
Jones	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lenoir	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pamlico	2,300	2,200	165	155	379,500	341,000	2,074,000	1,927,000
Pitt	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	150	150	150	155	22,500	23,250	159,500	139,500
Wilson	30	30	150	155	4,500	4,650	25,000	24,400
C. COASTAL	6,050	5,870	160	155	968,000	910,000	6,166,000	5,239,900
Bladen	100	85	155	130	15,500	11,050	97,300	62,400
Brunswick	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Columbus	100	100	165	140	16,500	14,000	101,500	91,000
Cumberland	50	50	160	135	8,000	6,650	56,000	43,250
Duplin	50	50	150	135	7,500	6,750	47,100	38,150
Harnett	20	20	160	140	3,200	2,800	20,100	16,800
Hoke	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Onslow	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pender	60	60	140	138	8,400	8,250	54,100	46,600
Robeson	50	50	160	140	8,000	7,000	51,500	39,500
Sampson	50	50	160	140	8,000	7,000	51,500	39,500
Scotland	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
S. COASTAL	505	490	156	137	79,000	67,000	505,000	397,700
STATE TOTAL	17,400	17,000	156	144	2,711,000	2,450,000	16,987,000	15,528,000

* Counties with less than 20 acres not published.

IRISH POTATOES: Acres Harvested, 1978

ALL HAY: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1977-78 (Cont'd. on opposite page)

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Tons		Tons		Dollars	
Alleghany	12,000	12,000	1.20	2.00	14,400	24,000	1,080,000	1,546,000
Ashe	17,600	19,300	1.60	1.50	28,150	28,950	2,027,000	1,687,000
Avery	2,600	2,500	1.40	1.50	3,640	3,750	262,000	245,000
Caldwell	7,500	9,400	2.20	1.70	16,500	16,000	1,155,000	932,000
Surry	7,000	7,000	1.40	2.00	9,800	14,000	735,000	887,000
Watauga	6,000	6,000	1.30	1.20	7,800	7,200	569,000	472,000
Wilkes	9,500	9,500	1.50	1.50	14,250	14,250	1,012,000	947,000
Yadkin	4,500	4,800	1.00	1.50	4,500	7,200	337,500	442,000
N. MOUNTAIN	66,700	70,500	1.49	1.64	99,040	115,350	7,177,500	7,158,000
Buncombe	11,000	11,000	2.10	1.50	23,100	16,500	1,455,000	1,063,000
Burke	2,900	2,900	1.10	1.40	3,190	4,060	229,500	262,000
Cherokee	3,700	3,900	2.00	2.10	7,400	8,190	555,000	419,000
Clay	2,100	2,400	2.00	2.20	4,200	5,280	302,500	340,000
Graham	800	700	1.70	1.70	1,360	1,190	102,000	78,000
Haywood	5,600	5,600	1.90	2.00	10,650	11,200	820,000	835,000
Henderson	2,900	2,900	1.70	1.50	4,930	4,350	365,000	284,500
Jackson	2,300	2,700	1.10	.70	2,530	1,890	189,500	120,500
McDowell	2,200	2,200	1.70	1.70	3,740	3,740	276,500	248,500
Macon	3,900	4,100	1.90	2.20	7,410	9,020	541,000	581,000
Madison	7,200	7,200	1.40	1.20	10,050	8,640	724,000	570,000
Mitchell	3,200	3,200	1.30	1.50	4,160	4,800	312,000	314,000
Polk	2,100	2,100	1.40	2.10	2,940	4,410	214,500	284,000
Rutherford	5,300	5,300	1.30	1.10	6,980	5,830	509,500	381,500
Swain	1,000	1,100	1.40	1.50	1,400	1,650	108,000	110,000
Transylvania	1,400	1,600	1.90	1.80	2,660	2,880	194,000	188,500
Yancey	2,800	3,100	1.10	1.20	3,080	3,720	222,000	209,000
W. MOUNTAIN	60,400	62,000	1.65	1.57	99,780	97,350	7,120,000	6,288,500
Alamance	6,100	5,600	1.10	1.50	6,710	8,400	490,000	541,000
Caswell	4,300	4,400	1.50	1.50	6,450	6,600	484,000	432,000
Durham	2,600	2,500	.80	1.30	2,080	3,250	152,000	216,500
Forsyth	5,300	5,200	1.80	1.50	9,540	7,800	687,000	510,000
Franklin	3,100	4,000	1.20	1.30	3,720	13,000	268,000	851,000
Granville	5,300	5,200	1.00	1.30	5,300	6,760	408,000	442,000
Guilford	9,800	9,000	1.40	1.50	13,700	13,500	1,014,000	870,000
Orange	5,200	4,700	.90	2.10	4,680	9,870	341,500	636,000
Person	3,000	2,500	1.50	1.60	4,500	4,000	333,000	237,000
Rockingham	6,500	6,000	1.30	1.60	8,450	9,600	642,000	619,000
Stokes	8,000	7,300	.80	1.50	6,400	10,950	461,000	705,000
Vance	2,600	2,600	1.10	1.00	2,860	2,600	220,000	191,000
Warren	3,200	3,400	1.50	1.10	4,800	3,740	350,500	264,000
N. PIEDMONT	65,000	62,400	1.22	1.60	79,190	100,070	5,851,000	6,514,500
Alexander	3,100	3,200	1.20	1.40	3,720	4,480	268,000	252,000
Catawba	8,500	8,700	.90	1.10	6,750	9,570	506,000	538,000
Chatham	6,000	6,000	1.60	1.70	9,600	10,200	710,000	657,000
Davidson	9,500	9,800	.80	2.00	7,600	19,600	562,000	1,263,000
Davie	6,000	6,000	1.40	1.30	8,400	7,800	605,000	462,500
Iredell	13,900	13,900	1.30	2.00	18,050	27,800	1,318,000	1,790,000
Lee	1,200	1,300	1.60	1.50	1,920	1,950	140,000	126,000
Randolph	9,000	9,000	1.20	1.30	10,800	11,700	810,000	754,000
Rowan	8,000	8,800	1.10	1.40	8,800	12,300	660,000	805,000
Wake	3,600	3,700	1.40	1.10	5,040	4,070	378,000	266,500
C. PIEDMONT	67,800	70,400	1.19	1.56	80,680	109,470	5,957,000	6,914,000
Anson	2,500	2,500	2.20	3.50	5,500	8,750	407,000	555,000
Cabarrus	7,000	7,000	1.30	1.60	9,100	11,200	664,000	722,000
Cleveland	5,000	5,900	1.30	2.00	6,500	11,800	474,500	760,000
Gaston	4,000	3,500	1.00	1.50	4,000	5,250	300,000	338,500
Lincoln	4,500	4,500	1.50	2.00	6,750	9,000	499,500	571,000
Mecklenburg	6,500	8,000	1.80	2.00	11,700	16,000	878,000	1,014,000
Montgomery	900	900	1.70	1.50	1,530	1,350	113,000	87,000
Moore	4,500	4,700	1.20	2.30	5,400	10,800	399,500	706,000
Richmond	5,000	6,000	1.10	2.30	5,500	13,800	407,000	903,000
Stanly	5,000	5,000	1.80	2.00	9,000	10,000	675,000	665,000
Union	4,600	4,000	1.90	1.50	8,740	6,000	638,000	368,000
S. PIEDMONT	49,500	52,000	1.49	2.00	73,720	103,950	5,455,500	6,689,500

ALL HAY: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1977-78

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Tons		Tons		Dollars	
Bertie	900	1,100	1.00	1.00	900	1,100	67,500	72,000
Camden	50	50	1.40	1.20	70	60	5,250	3,930
Chowan	300	400	2.00	1.80	600	720	43,200	36,800
Currituck	100	50	2.30	2.00	230	100	17,250	6,130
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	1,100	1,100	1.70	1 80	1,870	1,980	138,500	117,500
Gates	300	500	1.50	2.00	450	1,000	31,500	63,400
Halifax	2,200	2,300	1.10	1.10	2,420	2,530	174,000	129,500
Hertford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	1,900	2,000	1.60	1.50	3,040	3,000	219,000	205,500
Nash	1,300	700	1.30	1.90	1,690	1,330	125,000	87,000
Northampton	3,100	3,100	1.90	1.20	5,890	3,720	424,000	228,500
Pasquotank	50	50	2.00	2.00	100	100	7,700	6,540
Perquimans	300	350	1.50	1.60	450	560	33,300	41,800
Tyrrell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Washington	300	300	1.50	1.30	450	390	30,150	29,150
N. COASTAL	11,900	12,000	1.53	1.38	18,160	16,590	1,316,350	1,027,750
Beaufort	1,300	1,800	1.20	1.00	1,560	1,800	115,500	123,000
Carteret	400	400	2.50	2.20	1,000	880	75,000	57,500
Craven	500	500	3.00	3.00	1,500	1,500	117,000	96,500
Greene	300	300	4.00	3.50	1,200	1,050	86,400	73,000
Hyde	400	400	1.70	1.50	680	600	51,000	42,900
Johnston	3,200	3,200	3.00	2.50	9,600	8,000	672,000	540,000
Jones	100	100	2.60	2.50	260	250	18,700	16,350
Lenoir	400	500	2.00	3.00	800	1,500	61,600	84,400
Pamlico	100	*	4.00	*	400	*	28,800	*
Pitt	1,700	1,900	1.50	1.80	2,550	3,420	183,500	224,000
Wayne	2,400	2,400	1.80	2.10	4,320	5,040	319,500	319,500
Wilson	200	100	2.00	2.30	400	230	30,800	17,200
C. COASTAL	11,000	11,600	2.21	2.09	24,270	24,270	1,759,800	1,594,350
Bladen	1,800	1,600	1.90	3.00	3,420	4,800	249,500	314,000
Brunswick	900	1,000	2.50	1.00	2,250	1,700	166,500	111,500
Columbus	1,300	1,700	3.80	2.00	5,000	3,400	365,000	222,500
Cumberland	2,000	2,000	2.80	2.00	5,600	4,000	392,000	266,000
Duplin	800	900	2.50	2.50	2,000	2,250	150,000	156,500
Harnett	1,800	2,700	2.70	2.50	4,860	6,750	364,500	449,000
Hoke	500	600	2.40	1.00	1,200	600	88,800	39,900
New Hanover	100	*	2.00	*	200	*	15,000	*
Onslow	600	600	2.30	2.00	1,380	1,200	106,500	83,300
Pender	200	200	1.60	2.50	320	500	23,050	32,700
Robeson	2,200	2,300	1.90	2.50	4,180	5,750	305,000	376,500
Sampson	2,500	2,500	2.70	2.60	6,750	6,500	486,000	438,500
Scotland	3,000	3,000	3.00	2.50	9,000	7,500	684,000	491,000
S. COASTAL	17,700	19,100	2.61	2.35	46,160	44,950	3,395,850	2,981,400
STATE TOTAL	350,000	360,000	1.49	1.70	521,000	612,000	38,033,000	39,168,000

* Counties with less than 50 acres not published.

ALL HAY: Acres Harvested, 1978

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BELTS AND COUNTIES	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Pounds		Pounds		Dollars	
OLD AND MIDDLE BELTS - TYPE 11								
Alamance	3,850	3,480	1,905	1,850	7,340,000	6,444,000	8,368,000	8,442,000
Alexander	1,240	1,110	1,670	1,955	2,074,000	2,170,000	2,344,000	2,864,000
Anson	270	275	1,655	1,940	447,500	533,000	505,700	704,000
Caldwell	390	380	2,200	2,155	859,000	818,000	971,000	1,088,000
Caswell	7,300	7,280	1,830	1,890	13,360,000	13,765,000	15,230,000	18,170,000
Chatham	2,000	1,850	1,760	1,990	3,519,000	3,677,000	3,976,000	4,854,000
Davidson	2,600	2,750	1,510	2,000	3,928,000	5,495,000	4,439,000	7,253,000
Davie	900	1,000	1,270	1,765	1,145,000	1,766,000	1,317,000	2,296,000
Durham	3,600	3,500	1,550	1,580	5,572,000	5,538,000	6,129,000	7,199,000
Forsyth	3,810	3,900	1,560	1,845	5,950,000	7,200,000	6,426,000	9,576,000
Franklin	8,800	9,950	1,770	1,955	15,582,000	19,456,000	17,452,000	25,293,000
Granville	11,900	11,300	1,655	1,850	19,680,000	20,880,000	22,041,000	27,562,000
Guilford	8,400	7,550	1,750	1,945	14,716,000	14,677,000	16,776,000	19,227,000
Harnett	12,500	12,200	2,035	2,075	25,449,000	25,288,000	28,755,000	32,874,000
Iredell	950	925	1,655	1,870	1,574,000	1,732,000	1,794,000	2,286,000
Lee	3,300	3,350	2,010	1,865	6,636,000	6,250,000	7,698,000	8,250,000
Montgomery	870	740	1,710	1,780	1,489,000	1,316,000	1,683,000	1,737,000
Moore	4,100	3,800	1,875	1,945	7,686,000	7,382,000	8,762,000	9,597,000
Orange	2,850	2,580	1,830	1,855	5,220,000	4,792,000	5,951,000	6,373,000
Person	8,500	8,050	1,830	1,915	15,549,000	15,419,000	17,726,000	20,353,000
Randolph	2,400	2,200	1,780	2,055	4,266,000	4,526,000	4,821,000	5,974,000
Richmond	1,820	1,480	1,850	1,955	3,364,000	2,897,000	3,532,000	3,621,000
Rockingham	12,100	11,000	1,695	1,845	20,517,000	20,296,000	23,389,000	26,994,000
Rowan	10	10	1,250	1,700	12,500	17,000	14,300	22,000
Stokes	10,900	9,600	1,690	1,830	18,446,000	17,570,000	21,028,000	23,192,000
Surry	9,170	9,810	1,600	2,075	14,678,000	20,371,000	16,733,000	26,686,000
Vance	6,650	6,650	1,790	2,015	11,914,000	13,396,000	13,582,000	17,683,000
Wake	15,800	16,100	1,885	2,040	29,784,000	32,824,000	33,656,000	43,656,000
Warren	4,650	4,550	1,800	1,950	8,376,000	8,881,000	9,465,000	11,368,000
Wilkes	1,220	1,290	1,560	2,065	1,904,000	2,667,000	2,152,000	3,520,000
Yadkin	7,150	6,340	1,700	1,995	12,163,000	12,657,000	13,866,000	16,707,000
TOTAL TYPE 11	160,000	155,000	1,770	1,940	283,200,000	300,700,000	320,582,000	395,421,000
EASTERN BELT - TYPE 12								
Beaufort	7,300	7,250	1,825	2,145	13,325,000	15,559,000	16,257,000	20,693,000
Bertie	3,950	4,300	2,085	2,225	8,241,000	9,577,000	9,807,000	12,833,000
Carteret	1,100	950	2,050	2,095	2,254,000	1,989,000	2,818,000	2,665,000
Chowan	360	400	2,045	2,220	736,000	887,000	854,000	1,180,000
Craven	6,850	6,950	1,820	2,105	12,475,000	14,634,000	14,596,000	19,463,000
Duplin	12,100	11,800	1,990	2,195	24,072,000	25,882,000	29,128,000	34,423,000
Edgecombe	8,700	9,350	2,025	2,255	17,613,000	21,096,000	20,783,000	28,269,000
Gates	180	180	2,335	2,500	420,000	450,000	496,000	608,000
Greene	9,300	11,200	1,725	2,305	16,048,000	25,797,000	18,937,000	34,826,000
Halifax	4,300	4,150	2,150	2,290	9,254,000	9,502,000	10,827,000	12,163,000
Hertford	2,200	2,300	2,080	2,285	4,578,000	5,251,000	5,402,000	6,826,000
Johnston	18,700	18,100	2,070	2,295	38,750,000	41,556,000	44,563,000	56,101,000
Jones	4,300	4,700	1,750	2,200	7,517,000	10,350,000	8,645,000	14,076,000
Lenoir	11,400	12,700	1,935	2,360	22,031,000	29,984,000	25,997,000	40,478,000
Martin	6,500	6,900	2,055	2,330	13,359,000	16,080,000	16,432,000	21,386,000
Nash	14,700	14,500	1,975	2,180	29,041,000	31,611,000	33,688,000	42,043,000
New Hanover	180	160	1,545	1,670	278,000	267,000	328,000	355,000
Northampton	300	310	2,020	2,125	606,000	658,000	721,000	875,000
Onslow	4,900	4,800	1,905	2,030	9,323,000	9,747,000	11,001,000	12,866,000
Pamlico	980	880	1,680	2,035	1,648,000	1,791,000	1,928,000	2,382,000
Pender	2,850	2,200	1,980	2,270	5,640,000	4,992,000	6,655,000	6,639,000
Pitt	18,900	21,600	1,795	2,215	33,972,000	47,831,000	40,087,000	64,572,000
Sampson	12,000	12,500	2,015	2,190	24,191,000	27,394,000	28,788,000	36,434,000
Washington	750	720	2,090	2,155	1,566,000	1,551,000	1,880,000	1,939,000
Wayne	11,100	12,900	2,005	2,355	22,237,000	30,392,000	26,240,000	41,029,000
Wilson	13,100	14,200	2,050	2,435	26,860,000	34,602,000	32,501,000	47,751,000
TOTAL TYPE 12	177,000	186,000	1,955	2,255	346,035,000	419,430,000	409,359,000	562,875,000

TOBACCO: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties and By Types, 1977-78

BELTS AND COUNTIES	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Acres		Pounds		Pounds		Dollars	
BORDER BELT - TYPE 13								
Bladen	5,700	6,100	1,865	2,005	10,644,000	12,233,000	13,092,000	16,270,000
Brunswick	2,700	2,400	2,160	2,230	5,826,000	5,353,000	7,400,000	7,334,000
Columbus	14,000	14,000	2,215	2,315	31,003,000	32,413,000	39,680,000	44,730,000
Cumberland	4,000	4,250	1,845	2,310	7,377,000	9,809,000	8,631,000	13,140,000
Hoke	2,200	2,050	1,845	2,135	4,064,000	4,374,000	4,796,000	5,861,000
Robeson	16,400	19,300	1,895	2,205	31,075,000	42,517,000	37,600,000	57,390,000
Scotland	1,000	900	1,780	1,770	1,781,000	1,591,000	2,137,000	2,116,000
TOTAL TYPE 13	46,000	49,000	1,995	2,210	91,770,000	108,290,000	113,336,000	146,841,000
TOTAL-ALL FLUE-CURED	383,000	390,000	1,883	2,124	721,005,000	828,420,000	843,277,000	1,105,137,000
BURLEY BELT - TYPE 31								
Alleghany	310	295	2,785	2,600	863,000	767,000	958,000	992,000
Ashe	1,140	1,100	2,770	2,475	3,155,000	2,722,000	3,471,000	3,457,000
Avery	145	125	2,195	2,345	318,000	293,000	353,000	375,000
Buncombe	1,390	1,370	2,700	2,305	3,754,000	3,157,000	4,242,000	4,041,000
Cherokee	50	45	2,300	2,310	115,000	104,000	130,000	133,000
Clay	90	75	2,055	2,200	185,000	165,000	205,500	211,000
Graham	285	250	2,160	2,420	616,000	605,000	684,000	774,000
Haywood	895	860	2,460	2,530	2,203,000	2,175,000	2,489,000	2,806,000
Henderson	28	23	2,065	2,180	57,800	50,100	64,200	63,100
Jackson	37	35	2,155	2,090	79,800	73,200	88,600	93,700
McDowell	8	8	1,925	1,865	15,400	14,900	17,100	19,200
Macon	45	47	2,035	2,425	91,600	114,000	101,500	148,000
Madison	2,490	2,150	2,295	2,355	5,709,000	5,059,000	6,508,000	6,476,000
Mitchell	500	430	2,400	2,420	1,200,000	1,040,000	1,344,000	1,331,000
Polk	2	1	2,125	2,400	4,250	2,400	4,700	3,050
Rutherford	8	7	1,430	1,885	11,450	13,200	12,700	16,900
Swain	28	30	2,190	2,035	61,300	61,000	69,300	78,100
Transylvania	22	10	1,795	2,160	39,450	21,600	43,800	27,650
Watauga	900	785	2,400	2,575	2,162,000	2,022,000	2,378,000	2,568,000
Yancey	1,220	1,050	2,350	2,420	2,864,000	2,542,000	3,208,000	3,268,000
All Other	7	4	2,135	2,400	14,950	9,600	16,600	12,300
TOTAL TYPE 31	9,600	8,700	2,450	2,415	23,520,000	21,011,000	26,389,000	26,894,000
STATE TOTAL-ALL TYPES	392,600	398,700	1,896	2,131	744,525,000	849,431,000	869,666,000	1,132,031,000

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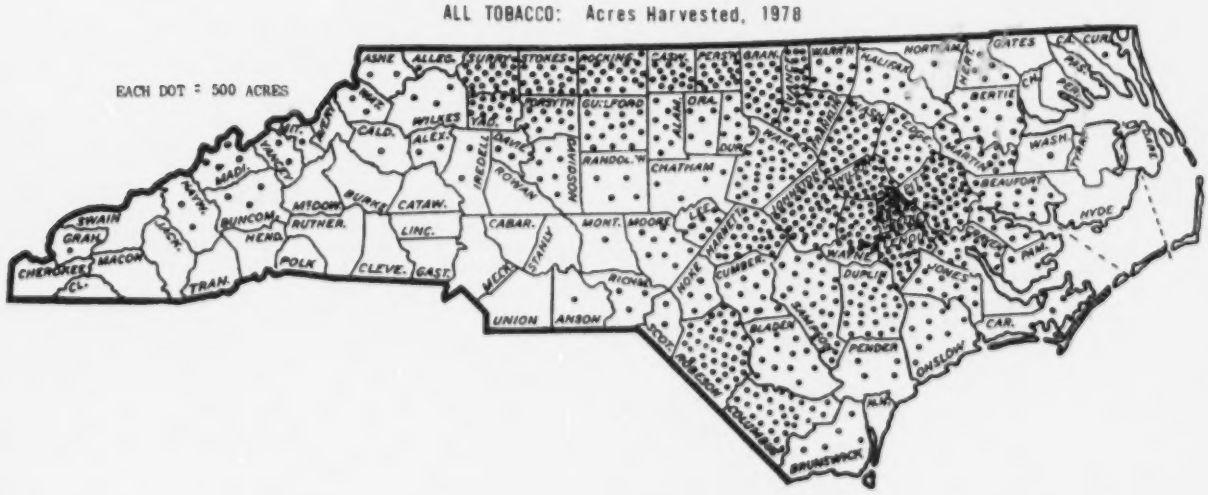

TOBACCO: Warehouse Sales and Average Prices, 1978-79

BELT AND MARKET	1978-79 SEASON			
	PRODUCERS' SALES		GROSS SALES (Including Re-Sales)	
	Total	Average Price Per Cwt.	Total	Average Price Per Cwt.
	Pounds	*Dollars*	*Pounds*	*Dollars*
OLD & MIDDLE BELT--TYPE 11				
Aberdeen	6,788,783	126.47	7,463,479	126.28
Carthage	10,109,276	131.87	10,725,471	132.20
Durham	15,632,235	128.41	16,943,562	128.61
Ellerbe	893,677	123.76	1,188,884	117.02
Fuquay-Varina	23,719,401	131.75	25,435,372	131.87
Henderson	15,219,661	131.73	15,746,939	131.89
Louisburg	8,864,817	129.09	9,359,429	129.40
Oxford	14,857,769	130.59	15,671,772	130.62
Sanford	12,384,222	132.36	12,846,075	132.41
Warrenton	8,497,929	127.73	8,964,344	127.94
Burlington	7,161,846	126.84	7,608,864	126.73
Greensboro	4,985,898	128.32	5,275,994	128.44
Madison	7,802,929	133.16	8,566,626	133.11
Mebane	5,449,049	133.19	5,616,110	133.25
Mt. Airy	13,325,642	129.58	14,398,669	129.92
Reidsville	15,827,833	132.39	16,846,908	132.95
Roxboro	15,335,190	132.04	16,186,589	132.28
Stoneville	11,406,851	133.59	12,169,127	133.81
Winston-Salem	46,858,272	132.34	51,648,955	132.64
Yadkinville	5,870,877	124.44	6,323,783	124.68
TOTAL	250,992,157	130.94	268,986,952	131.10
EASTERN BELT--TYPE 12				
Ahoskie	8,478,431	129.49	8,956,624	129.58
Clinton	19,186,230	131.69	20,120,621	131.89
Dunn	16,746,920	127.81	17,988,486	127.61
Farmville	33,532,429	137.65	35,277,290	137.55
Goldsboro	32,167,565	137.03	34,958,484	137.04
Greenville	52,617,482	132.37	56,136,363	132.15
Kinston	52,639,713	134.64	55,687,202	134.32
Robersonville	8,060,221	130.76	8,805,987	130.51
Rocky Mount	32,328,065	132.05	33,548,082	132.10
Smithfield	22,251,397	132.14	23,597,904	132.22
Tarboro	6,062,318	129.67	6,415,293	129.43
Wallace	12,283,979	129.23	12,708,238	129.25
Washington	10,891,085	131.55	11,810,147	132.04
Wendell	13,456,696	130.81	14,283,119	130.58
Williamston	12,655,379	132.60	13,195,094	132.39
Wilson	92,363,347	138.65	99,632,054	138.57
Windsor	11,617,871	132.00	12,485,359	132.28
TOTAL	437,339,128	134.20	465,606,347	134.14
BORDER BELT--TYPE 13				
Chadbourn	12,820,899	136.88	14,004,224	136.80
Clarkton	5,322,903	131.95	5,942,453	130.88
Fair Bluff	7,271,747	138.42	7,967,968	137.81
Fairmont	31,152,385	137.24	33,958,653	137.42
Fayetteville	1,474,037	127.86	1,534,578	127.69
Lumberton	23,434,987	132.84	24,932,092	133.08
Tabor City	12,335,617	138.51	13,422,072	138.41
Whiteville	18,922,182	137.45	20,146,584	137.42
TOTAL	112,734,757	136.16	121,908,624	136.15
BURLEY BELT--TYPE 31				
Asheville	9,322,905	128.10	10,592,578	128.09
Boone	3,494,691	127.30	3,794,781	127.24
West Jefferson	4,531,810	125.70	5,050,088	125.86
TOTAL	17,349,406	127.31	19,437,447	127.35
STATE TOTAL--ALL TYPES	818,415,448	133.32	875,939,370	133.34

CROPS: Production, Farm Use, Sales and Value, 1976-78

CROPS	UNIT	Production	Used On Farms Where Produced	Sold	Season Average Price 1/	VALUE OF	
						Production	Sales
		Thousands			Dollars	Thousand Dollars	
1976							
Corn for Grain.....	Bu.	150,400	45,120	105,280	2.38	357,952	250,566
Wheat.....	Bu.	6,960	1,378	5,582	3.00	20,880	16,746
Oats.....	Bu.	3,760	2,369	1,391	1.55	5,828	2,156
Barley.....	Bu.	2,340	1,498	842	1.95	4,563	1,642
Rye.....	Bu.	380	141	239	2.40	912	574
Sorghum for Grain.....	Bu.	4,590	1,836	2,754	2.21	10,144	6,086
Cotton, Lint.....	Bales	72	-	-	2/ .740	25,574	25,574
Cottonseed.....	Tons	25	2	23	99.00	2,475	2,277
Irish Potatoes.....	Cwt.	2,385	220	2,165	5.37	12,819	11,632
Sweet Potatoes.....	Cwt.	4,290	991	3,299	5.40	23,166	17,815
Soybeans for Beans.....	Bu.	24,640	616	24,024	6.65	163,856	159,760
Peanuts for Nuts.....	Lb.	440,730	8,815	431,915	.196	86,383	84,655
Lespedeza Seed (Clean).	Lb.	336	161	175	.610	205	107
Hay.....	Tons	510	444	66	64.00	32,640	4,224
1977							
Corn for Grain.....	Bu.	88,740	31,946	56,794	2.01	178,367	114,156
Wheat.....	Bu.	6,000	1,140	4,860	2.20	13,200	10,692
Oats.....	Bu.	3,150	1,984	1,166	1.39	4,379	1,621
Barley.....	Bu.	2,200	1,452	748	1.80	3,960	1,346
Rye.....	Bu.	399	136	263	2.25	898	592
Sorghum for Grain.....	Bu.	2,664	1,385	1,279	1.82	4,848	2,328
Cotton, Lint.....	Bales	53	-	-	2/ .505	12,847	12,847
Cottonseed.....	Tons	19	2	17	65.00	1,235	1,105
Irish Potatoes.....	Cwt.	2,711	229	2,482	6.28	16,987	15,582
Sweet Potatoes.....	Cwt.	4,455	750	3,705	9.20	40,986	34,086
Soybeans for Beans.....	Bu.	29,040	668	28,372	6.02	174,821	170,799
Peanuts for Nuts.....	Lb.	444,050	8,437	435,613	.206	91,474	89,736
Lespedeza Seed (Clean).	Lb.	196	98	98	.850	167	83
Hay.....	Tons	521	458	63	73.00	38,033	4,599
1978							
Corn for Grain.....	Bu.	121,600	36,480	85,120	2.35	285,760	200,032
Wheat.....	Bu.	5,940	1,331	4,609	2.85	16,929	13,136
Oats.....	Bu.	5,225	3,030	2,195	1.25	6,531	2,744
Barley.....	Bu.	3,009	1,896	1,113	1.80	5,416	2,003
Rye.....	Bu.	460	152	308	2.65	1,219	816
Sorghum for Grain.....	Bu.	4,472	2,057	2,415	1.93	8,631	4,661
Cotton, Lint.....	Bales	45	-	-	2/ .654	14,126	14,126
Cottonseed.....	Tons	16	2	14	115.00	1,840	1,610
Irish Potatoes.....	Cwt.	2,450	3/	3/	6.29	15,653	3/
Sweet Potatoes.....	Cwt.	5,180	3/	3/	9.00	46,620	3/
Soybeans for Beans.....	Bu.	37,200	670	36,530	6.75	251,100	246,578
Peanuts for Nuts.....	Lb.	468,950	8,910	460,040	.220	103,169	101,209
Lespedeza Seed (Clean).	Lb.	360	216	144	.790	284	114
Hay.....	Tons	612	539	73	64.00	39,168	4,672

1/ Includes an allowance when applicable for unredeemed loans and purchases by the Government valued at the average loan and purchase rate. 2/ Price per pound of lint. 3/ Not available.

GRAINS: Stocks By Positions, Selected Dates, 1976-78

YEAR	STOCKS ON FARMS				STOCKS IN OFF-FARM POSITIONS				TOTAL STOCKS ALL POSITIONS			
	Jan. 1	April 1	June 1	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	June 1	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	June 1	Oct. 1
	Thousand Bushels											
	CORN											
1976	45,808	24,502	15,980	2,663	18,750	13,196	6,648	245	64,558	37,698	22,628	2,908
1977	52,640	37,600	21,056	5,264	24,400	14,390	9,350	825	77,040	51,990	30,406	6,089
1978	31,059	14,198	8,430	1,331	20,332	13,627	7,068	545	51,391	27,825	15,498	1,876
	WHEAT											
1976	1,364	384	256	1,670	2,581	1,589	961	3,187	3,945	1,973	1,217	4,857
1977	1,183	592	487	1,380	2,370	1,730	1,300	2,688	3,553	2,322	1,787	4,068
1978	720	450	90	1,485	1,934	1,357	1,086	2,910	2,654	1,807	1,176	4,395
	OATS											
1976	1,224	734	490	1,466	573	230	147	988	1,797	964	637	2,454
1977	1,015	451	282	1,386	750	400	264	625	1,765	851	546	2,011
1978	756	473	284	2,247	358	279	160	1,748	1,114	752	444	3,995
	BARLEY											
1976	938	442	207	913	175	40	39	234	1,113	482	246	1,147
1977	772	374	187	924	158	87	40	171	930	461	227	1,095
1978	594	396	220	1,384	131	107	99	680	725	503	319	2,064
	RYE											
1976	17	3	2	171	*	-	-	45	*	3	2	216
1977	38	11	8	192	23	23	21	*	61	34	29	*
1978	72	32	24	166	*	*	*	105	*	*	*	271
	SORGHUM GRAIN											
1976	1,864	520	173	22	595	470	265	*	2,459	990	438	*
1977	1,882	390	230	23	540	304	290	17	2,422	694	520	40
1978	1,332	373	67	53	329	208	182	*	1,661	581	249	*
	SOYBEANS											
	Jan. 1	April 1	June 1	Sep. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	June 1	Sep. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	June 1	Sep. 1
1976	12,013	7,008	2,670	667	9,998	6,018	2,729	*	22,011	13,026	5,399	*
1977	7,885	3,203	862	246	8,670	5,800	5,135	2,007	16,555	9,003	5,997	2,253
1978	10,745	4,356	1,452	581	9,995	4,270	2,486	913	20,740	8,626	3,938	1,494

* *Unpublished to avoid disclosing individual operations.*

GRAINS: Capacity Of Off-Farm Grain Storage Facilities, January 1, 1976-79

YEAR	Rated Off-Farm Storage Capacity	YEAR	Rated Off-Farm Storage Capacity
	Thousand Bushels		*Thousand Bushels*
1976	54,990	1978	70,240
1977	58,520	1979	72,790

HAY: Stocks On Farms, January 1 and May 1, 1977-79

YEAR	Hay Stocks On Farms	
	January 1	May 1
	Thousand Tons	
1977	311	46
1978	328	57
1979	453	141

CROPS: Farm Marketings Of Selected Crops, Percent By Months, 1975-77

CROP YEAR	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.
	Percent											
	CORN FOR GRAIN											
1975	28	26	9	4	5	5	4	4	4	4	3	4
1976	28	25	10	5	5	6	4	3	3	4	3	4
1977	36	18	10	6	4	5	4	4	3	2	2	6
	PEANUTS											
1975	1	91	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1976	73	25	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1977	2	88	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	SOYBEANS FOR BEANS											
1975	1	3	39	27	6	5	4	3	4	3	3	2
1976	2	8	42	25	7	5	4	2	2	1	1	1
1977	1	3	44	20	7	3	8	4	4	3	2	1

CROP YEAR	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May
	Percent											
	OATS											
1975	42	14	8	5	4	4	5	6	4	3	3	2
1976	36	15	8	6	4	3	4	5	4	7	3	5
1977	44	9	8	13	5	7	1	2	5	3	2	1
	TOBACCO-FLUE CURED											
1975	-	8	23	27	28	14	-	-	-	-	-	-
1976	-	9	29	31	25	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
1977	-	1	30	27	34	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
	TOBACCO-BURLEY											
1975	-	-	-	-	-	29	60	11	-	-	-	-
1976	-	-	-	-	-	31	53	16	-	-	-	-
1977	-	-	-	-	-	42	37	21	-	-	-	-

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REVIEW OF 1978

INCOME REACHES RECORD HIGH

Income from livestock, dairy and poultry products totaled $1.3 billion in 1978, a record high for North Carolina. This is a 23% increase over 1977. All poultry products combined made up nearly $700 million while income for broilers alone amounted to $368 million or 28% of the total. Cash receipts from hogs were up to $362 million, almost one fourth of the total. Milk income rose 4%. Income from cattle and calves set an all time record high at $117 million, up sharply from 1977. Cattle and calves accounted for 9% of total cash receipts.

EGG PRODUCTION UP

The number of eggs produced in North Carolina during 1978 was up 8% to 3.1 billion eggs. The average number of layers on hand was 13.5 million, up 7% from 1977. However, eggs per layer increased 1% from 1977 to the level of 242 eggs.

Cash receipts in the State was 4% higher in 1978 at $161 million while the price of eggs per dozen dropped 4% to 62.5¢. This decline dropped the State by one position to number 5 nationally in cash receipts from eggs.

INCREASE IN HOG PRODUCTION CONTINUES

The December 1, 1978 inventory of hogs and pigs on North Carolina farms showed an annual increase of 2% to 2,350,000 head. The State continues to rank seventh nationally in total hog numbers. Farrowings were up 6% to 467,000 in 1978 for an average of 7.15 pigs per litter, a slightly lower average than in 1977. A crop of 3,340,000 pigs was produced in the State, 5% more than the preceding year.

Hog marketings showed a 19% increase of 2,964,000 head. Increased marketing, along with a 21% increase in the average price at $47.34 cwt., gave a 48% jump in cash receipts to $306 million for the State. The value of home consumption was $24 million, up 16% from 1977.

NUMBER TWO IN TURKEYS

The State's 14% increase in the total number of turkeys moved it past California to the number two spot in the national ranking, only behind Minnesota. The number produced totaled nearly 19 million birds while the pounds of meat produced rose 12% to 324 million pounds. Live weight price at 43¢, up 13%, helped lead to a gross income of $139 million.

MILK PRODUCTION DOWN SLIGHTLY

Total milk production was off 2% from 1977 at 1.6 billion pounds in 1978. This was in part due to the 1% decrease in the number of milk cows at 143,000 head for the State. Also, milk output per cow dropped slightly from the previous year to 10,958 pounds.

Cash receipts from sales of milk and cream totaled $173 million, up 4% from a year earlier. The total value of milk produced was up 3% to $180 million. Fluid milk prices however, rose 5% from 1977 to $11.40 cwt.

FOURTH IN BROILERS

North Carolina held on to its number four ranking in broilers in 1978 with a total of 353 million birds produced, an increase of 4%. Pounds of meat produced also increased 4% to 1.4 billion.

The average price per pound for broilers rose 12% to 26.2¢. This gave a gross income of $368 million for the State, a 14% increase from the previous year.

Income from broilers is the largest contributor to cash receipts for the livestock and poultry commodity group. In recent years, it has made up nearly 30% of the total income for this group.

INCOME FROM CATTLE SETS RECORD

Cash receipts from cattle and calves in the State jumped 86% in 1978 to a record high total of nearly $117 million. Average prices of $39.90 cwt. for cattle and $55.20 cwt. for calves contributed to this large increase. The value of cattle and calves consumed on the farm fell 13% in 1978 to $6.7 million.

The inventory of cattle and calves on Tarheel farms as of January 1, 1979 was 1.1 million head, 2% below a year earlier. Calf births also showed a 2% decrease during the year at 491,000 head. Calf marketings rose 4% to 205,000 while total cattle and calf marketings rose 9% to 446,000 head.

SHEEP NUMBER DECLINES

The number of sheep and lambs in North Carolina dropped to 7,000 head as of January 1, 1979 from the level of 9,000 a year earlier. The lamb crop was down 6% at 6,400 head for the year.

A large increase in marketings of sheep plus a rise in prices gave a 52% increase in cash receipts for the year to $176,000.

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: Number On Farms, 1976-79, North Carolina and United States

SPECIES AND CLASSIFICATION	NORTH CAROLINA			UNITED STATES		
	NUMBER ON FARMS JANUARY 1			NUMBER ON FARMS JANUARY 1		
	1977	1978	1979	1977	1978	1979
	Thousand Head			*Thousand Head*		
Cattle - Total	1,080	1,100	1,080	122,810	116,375	110,864
Cows & Heifers that have calved	545	561	545	52,424	49,748	47,843
Beef Cows	398	415	402	41,389	38,809	36,989
Milk Cows	147	146	143	11,035	10,939	10,853
Heifers 500 pounds and over	157	157	161	18,474	17,711	16,886
For Beef Cow replacement	82	83	90	6,529	5,845	5,519
For Milk Cow replacement	39	38	38	3,888	3,896	3,936
Other Heifers	36	36	33	8,057	7,970	7,431
Steers 500 pounds and over	63	63	65	16,885	16,779	16,321
Bulls 500 pounds and over	34	34	33	2,665	2,544	2,401
Heifers, Steers and Bulls under 500 pounds	281	285	276	32,363	29,595	27,413
Sheep - Total	9	9	7	12,766	12,348	12,224
On Feed	-	-	-	1,731	1,623	1,567
Stock Sheep	9	9	7	11,035	10,724	10,657
Ewe Lambs	1	1	1	1,407	1,489	1,667
Wether and Ram Lambs	1	1	1	380	326	369
Ewes 1 year plus	7	7	5	8,886	8,540	8,243
Rams and Wethers 1 year plus	1	1	1	362	370	378
	NUMBER ON FARMS DECEMBER 1			NUMBER ON FARMS DECEMBER 1		
	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978
	Thousand Head			*Thousand Head*		
Hogs - Total	1,940	2,300	2,350	54,934	56,539	59,860
Breeding	281	340	364	8,011	8,604	9,558
Market	1,659	1,960	1,986	46,923	47,935	50,302
Chickens - Total 1/	18,800	19,400	20,700	378,238	386,429	394,505
Hens	4,324	4,600	5,300	118,998	117,572	122,713
Pullets of laying age	7,749	7,900	8,200	160,656	169,051	169,438
Pullets not of laying age						
Three months and over	3,135	3,250	3,500	47,769	47,650	48,240
Less than three months	2,840	2,850	3,100	45,184	46,186	48,169
Other Chickens	752	800	600	5,631	5,970	5,945
Turkey Breeder Hens	365	420	495	3,069	3,038	3,383

1/ *Does not include commercial broilers.*

LIVESTOCK: Number On Farms and Value, 1976-79

YEAR	ALL CATTLE AND CALVES January 1			ALL CHICKENS December 1			ALL HOGS AND PIGS December 1			STOCK SHEEP AND LAMBS January 1		
	Number	Farm Value Per Head	Total Value	Number	Farm Value Per Head	Total Value	Number	Farm Value Per Head	Total Value	Number	Farm Value Per Head	Total Value
	Thous.	*Dollars*	*Thous. Dollars*	*Thous.*	*Dollars*	*Thous. Dollars*	*Thous.*	*Dollars*	*Thous. Dollars*	*Thous.*	*Dollars*	*Thous. Dols.*
1976	1,170	160.00	187,200	18,800	1.55	29,140	1,940	47.50	92,150	10	29.00	290
1977	1,080	175.00	189,000	19,400	1.65	32,010	2,300	57.50	132,250	9	34.00	306
1978	1,100	185.00	203,500	20,700	1.95	40,365	2,350	74.00	173,900	9	36.00	324
1979	1,080	305.00	329,400	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	44.50	312

SPRING PIG CROP: Sows Farrowed and Pigs Saved, 1976-78

YEAR	SOWS FARROWED			PIGS PER LITTER			PIGS SAVED		
	Dec. 1/-Feb.	Mar.-May	Dec. 1/-May	Dec. 1/-Feb.	Mar.-May	Dec. 1/-May	Dec. 1/-Feb.	Mar.-May	Ded. 1/-May
	Thousand Head			*Head*			*Thousand Head*		
1976	116	116	232	7.10	7.50	7.30	824	870	1,695
1977	110	108	218	6.80	7.35	7.07	748	794	1,542
1978	115	115	230	7.00	7.20	7.10	805	828	1,633

1/ *Previous year.*

FALL PIG CROP: Sows Farrowed and Pigs Saved, 1976-78

YEAR	SOWS FARROWED			PIGS PER LITTER			PIGS SAVED		
	June-Aug.	Sept.-Nov.	June-Nov.	June-Aug.	Sept.-Nov.	June-Nov.	June-Aug.	Sept.-Nov.	June-Nov.
	Thousand Head			*Head*			*Thousand Head*		
1976	111	86	197	7.50	7.10	7.33	833	611	1,444
1977	123	100	223	7.50	7.10	7.32	923	710	1,633
1978	120	117	237	7.40	7.00	7.20	888	819	1,707

HOGS AND PIGS: Number On Farms, Quarterly, By Class and Weight, 1976-78

YEAR	TOTAL	BY CLASS		MARKET HOGS AND PIGS, BY WEIGHT GROUP			
		Breeding Hogs	Market Hogs and Pigs	Under 60 Pounds	60-119 Pounds	120-179 Pounds	180 Pounds and Over
		Thousands					
		MARCH 1					
1976	1,920	311	1,609	724	402	280	203
1977	1,800	288	1,512	612	405	304	191
1978	2,000	310	1,690	693	414	338	245
		JUNE 1					
1976	1,975	316	1,659	750	441	289	179
1977	1,920	317	1,603	705	407	302	189
1978	2,035	326	1,709	709	410	359	231
		SEPTEMBER 1					
1976	2,050	320	1,730	804	407	301	218
1977	2,250	338	1,912	889	468	325	230
1978	2,140	332	1,808	814	416	344	234
		DECEMBER 1					
1976	1,940	281	1,659	647	431	320	261
1977	2,300	340	1,960	784	535	361	280
1978	2,350	364	1,986	854	469	375	288

LIVESTOCK: Counties Leading In Numbers Of Selected Items, 1977-78

ALL CATTLE 1/		MILK COWS 1/		BEEF COWS 1/		ALL HOGS 2/		ALL CHICKENS 2/	
County	Number	County	Number	County	Number	County	Number	County	Number
Iredell	47,900	Iredell	10,200	Iredell	14,700	Sampson	170,200	Wilkes	3,433,000
Ashe	33,400	Rowan	7,400	Ashe	13,500	Duplin	153,600	Iredell	1,290,000
Cleveland	31,300	Alamance	6,200	Chatham	11,000	Johnston	127,000	Duplin	1,084,000
Union	27,900	Randolph	6,100	Union	10,700	Wayne	110,000	Pitt	910,000
Buncombe	27,800	Buncombe	5,900	Cleveland	10,200	Greene	100,000	Stanly	759,000
Rowan	26,700	Orange	5,400	Wilkes	10,200	Pitt	87,000	Wayne	727,000
Chatham	26,500	Wake	5,300	Stanly	9,900	Robeson	76,300	Surry	700,000
Wilkes	26,200	Henderson	5,000	Surry	9,700	Washington	72,000	Sampson	699,000
Randolph	26,200	Alleghany	4,800	Alamance	9,100	Beaufort	63,600	Randolph	675,000
Surry	25,900	Davie	4,200	Randolph	8,500	Northampton	56,000	Chatham	545,000

1/ *January 1, 1978 Inventory.* 2/ *December 1, 1977 Inventory.*

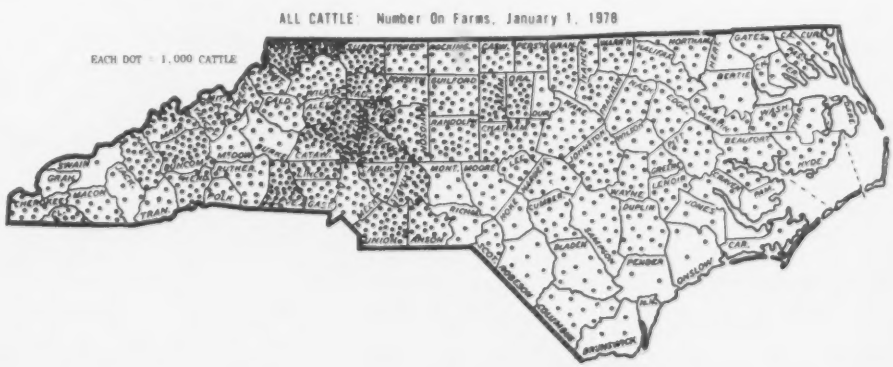
ALL CATTLE: Number On Farms, By Counties, January 1, 1977-78

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	1977	1978
Alleghany	23,200	23,100
Ashe	32,500	33,400
Avery	4,400	3,900
Caldwell	10,000	9,700
Surry	24,000	25,900
Watauga	12,700	11,700
Wilkes	26,000	26,200
Yadkin	19,500	18,600
N. MOUNTAIN	152,300	152,500
Buncombe	27,100	27,800
Burke	7,000	7,300
Cherokee	8,500	8,200
Clay	6,200	6,300
Graham	1,900	1,900
Haywood	19,200	20,300
Henderson	11,600	12,900
Jackson	4,100	4,400
McDowell	4,900	5,300
Macon	7,300	8,200
Madison	16,300	16,200
Mitchell	5,300	5,600
Polk	4,000	4,300
Rutherford	13,000	12,700
Swain	1,100	1,100
Transylvania	4,600	4,300
Yancey	8,200	8,700
W. MOUNTAIN	150,300	155,500
Alamance	20,700	22,500
Caswell	10,100	11,000
Durham	4,000	4,000
Forsyth	11,000	10,600
Franklin	11,000	10,600
Granville	15,600	16,700
Guilford	21,100	20,500
Orange	15,800	17,300
Person	8,300	9,300
Rockingham	10,900	11,900
Stokes	10,600	12,000
Vance	5,000	5,200
Warren	8,100	8,900
N. PIEDMONT	152,200	160,500
Alexander	14,000	14,300
Catawba	19,300	19,700
Chatham	25,800	26,500
Davidson	20,400	20,400
Davie	19,200	20,800
Iredell	46,900	47,900
Lee	5,300	6,200
Randolph	27,600	26,200
Rowan	27,200	26,700
Wake	16,600	16,800
C. PIEDMONT	222,300	225,500
Anson	15,400	15,200
Cabarrus	14,700	15,500
Cleveland	33,100	31,300
Gaston	11,600	11,300
Lincoln	15,600	16,300
Mecklenburg	13,000	14,700
Montgomery	5,000	4,800
Moore	9,000	10,500
Richmond	4,500	4,000
Stanly	23,000	22,000
Union	28,000	27,900
S. PIEDMONT	172,900	173,500
Bertie	4,900	4,200
Camden	1,800	2,000
Chowan	1,700	1,800
Currituck	1,200	1,500
Dare	*	*
Edgecombe	9,000	9,200
Gates	3,100	3,500
Halifax	15,500	15,200
Hertford	1,200	1,100
Martin	7,800	7,100
Nash	8,500	8,800
Northampton	6,200	6,500
Pasquotank	2,400	2,800
Perquimans	2,000	2,200
Tyrrell	1,500	2,100
Washington	5,800	6,500
N. COASTAL	72,700	74,600
Beaufort	11,000	11,500
Carteret	1,100	1,300
Craven	2,900	2,900
Greene	3,000	2,900
Hyde	7,000	8,000
Johnston	20,000	19,600
Jones	2,200	2,200
Lenoir	6,300	5,500
Pamlico	1,000	1,100
Pitt	11,600	11,500
Wayne	9,300	8,500
Wilson	2,700	2,500
C. COASTAL	78,100	77,500
Bladen	9,500	8,500
Brunswick	2,100	2,700
Columbus	9,300	9,200
Cumberland	8,300	10,000
Duplin	9,800	9,200
Harnett	9,500	10,000
Hoke	2,000	2,100
New Hanover	*	*
Onslow	2,000	2,500
Pender	2,000	2,000
Robeson	6,300	5,900
Sampson	12,000	12,100
Scotland	6,000	5,800
S. COASTAL	79,200	80,400
STATE TOTAL	1,080,000	1,100,000

* *Counties with less than 1,000 head not published.*

ALL CATTLE--JANUARY 1, 1979

DISTRICT	NUMBER ON FARMS
N. Mountain	149,300
W. Mountain	156,000
N. Piedmont	162,700
C. Piedmont	222,700
S. Piedmont	174,900
N. Coastal	68,300
C. Coastal	70,600
S. Coastal	75,500
STATE TOTAL	1,080,000



MILK COWS AND HEIFERS THAT HAVE CALVED: Number On Farms, By Counties, January 1, 1977-78

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	1977	1978
Alleghany	4,500	4,800
Ashe	2,000	1,600
Avery	400	400
Caldwell	1,800	1,700
Surry	3,000	3,000
Watauga	800	600
Wilkes	1,000	1,100
Yadkin	3,400	3,900
N. MOUNTAIN	16,900	17,100
Buncombe	6,000	5,900
Burke	600	600
Cherokee	700	700
Clay	1,000	900
Graham	*	*
Haywood	2,100	2,100
Henderson	4,800	5,000
Jackson	200	*
McDowell	500	500
Macon	1,800	1,700
Madison	1,400	1,300
Mitchell	300	300
Polk	400	400
Rutherford	1,000	900
Swain	*	*
Transylvania	400	400
Yancey	1,900	1,800
W. MOUNTAIN	23,300	22,800
Alamance	6,100	6,200
Caswell	1,200	1,200
Durham	500	400
Forsyth	1,800	1,800
Franklin	300	300
Granville	1,800	1,700
Guilford	4,200	4,200
Orange	5,100	5,400
Person	800	700
Rockingham	1,400	1,400
Stokes	700	800
Vance	200	200
Warren	400	400
N. PIEDMONT	24,500	24,700
Alexander	2,800	2,600
Catawba	2,300	2,200
Chatham	3,700	3,600
Davidson	3,100	3,000
Davie	4,500	4,200
Iredell	10,000	10,200
Lee	200	200
Randolph	6,100	6,100
Rowan	7,400	7,400
Wake	5,500	5,300
C. PIEDMONT	45,600	44,800

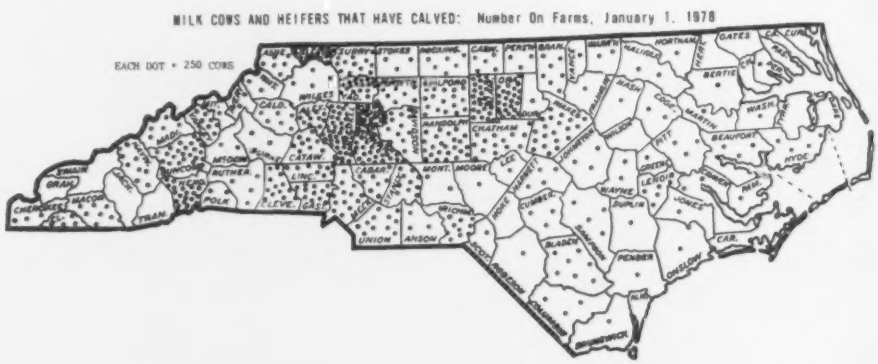
COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	1977	1978
Anson	800	800
Cabarrus	1,900	1,900
Cleveland	3,100	3,000
Gaston	2,800	2,800
Lincoln	2,200	2,300
Mecklenburg	3,200	3,200
Montgomery	600	600
Moore	200	200
Richmond	*	*
Stanly	2,600	2,500
Union	2,400	2,800
S. PIEDMONT	19,900	20,200
Bertie	200	200
Camden	*	*
Chowan	*	*
Currituck	*	*
Dare	*	*
Edgecombe	600	600
Gates	*	*
Halifax	600	600
Hertford	*	*
Martin	200	200
Nash	300	300
Northampton	200	200
Pasquotank	*	*
Perquimans	*	200
Tyrrell	*	*
Washington	300	300
N. COASTAL	3,100	3,200
Beaufort	800	800
Carteret	*	*
Craven	600	400
Greene	200	200
Hyde	900	900
Johnston	800	800
Jones	300	300
Lenoir	1,200	1,200
Pamlico	200	200
Pitt	700	700
Wayne	500	500
Wilson	*	*
C. COASTAL	6,300	6,100
Bladen	1,900	1,800
Brunswick	400	300
Columbus	700	700
Cumberland	800	800
Duplin	300	300
Harnett	1,300	1,100
Hoke	*	*
New Hanover	*	*
Onslow	300	300
Pender	200	200
Robeson	300	200
Sampson	800	1,000
Scotland	200	200
S. COASTAL	7,400	7,100
STATE TOTAL	147,000	146,000

*Counties with less than 200 milk cows not published.

MILK COWS -- January 1, 1979

DISTRICTS	NUMBER ON FARMS
N. Mountain	17,300
W. Mountain	21,300
N. Piedmont	24,700
C. Piedmont	44,000
S. Piedmont	19,800
N. Coastal	2,900
C. Coastal	5,800
S. Coastal	7,200
STATE TOTAL	143,000

MILK COWS AND HEIFERS THAT HAVE CALVED: Number On Farms, January 1, 1978



BEEF COWS AND HEIFERS THAT HAVE CALVED: Number On Farms, By Counties, January 1, 1977-78

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	1977	1978
Alleghany	6,200	6,100
Ashe	12,700	13,500
Avery	2,000	1,800
Caldwell	3,600	3,600
Surry	8,800	9,700
Watauga	4,400	3,500
Wilkes	10,000	10,200
Yadkin	6,800	6,200
N. MOUNTAIN	54,500	54,600
Buncombe	7,400	7,900
Burke	2,700	2,900
Cherokee	3,700	3,700
Clay	2,500	2,500
Graham	600	600
Haywood	7,600	8,100
Henderson	3,700	4,300
Jackson	1,500	1,700
McDowell	1,700	2,000
Macon	2,300	3,100
Madison	6,100	6,100
Mitchell	1,900	2,100
Polk	2,100	2,400
Rutherford	4,800	4,700
Swain	600	600
Transylvania	1,600	1,600
Yancey	2,800	3,200
W. MOUNTAIN	53,600	57,500
Alamance	8,000	9,100
Caswell	4,100	4,900
Durham	1,600	1,600
Forsyth	4,500	4,300
Franklin	4,800	4,600
Granville	4,800	5,100
Guilford	7,700	7,200
Orange	4,900	5,500
Person	3,900	4,400
Rockingham	4,400	5,200
Stokes	4,600	5,400
Vance	1,700	1,900
Warren	3,000	3,600
N. PIEDMONT	58,000	62,800
Alexander	5,500	5,800
Catawba	6,800	7,200
Chatham	10,400	11,000
Davidson	7,500	7,500
Davie	6,000	7,000
Iredell	14,000	14,700
Lee	2,600	3,300
Randolph	9,100	8,500
Rowan	8,600	8,200
Wake	4,600	4,800
C. PIEDMONT	75,100	78,000

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	1977	1978
Anson	7,500	7,300
Cabarrus	5,800	6,600
Cleveland	11,400	10,200
Gaston	3,600	3,600
Lincoln	5,300	5,700
Mecklenburg	4,200	5,500
Montgomery	1,700	1,600
Moore	4,800	5,900
Richmond	2,800	2,400
Stanly	10,300	9,900
Union	10,800	10,700
S. PIEDMONT	68,200	69,400
Bertie	2,000	1,700
Camden	700	900
Chowan	500	600
Currituck	700	1,000
Dare	*	*
Edgecombe	3,900	4,100
Gates	1,500	1,800
Halifax	6,400	6,100
Hertford	600	600
Martin	3,300	2,800
Nash	3,300	3,500
Northampton	2,200	2,400
Pasquotank	800	1,100
Perquimans	600	800
Tyrrell	900	1,200
Washington	1,800	2,400
N. COASTAL	29,300	31,100
Beaufort	3,100	3,600
Carteret	500	600
Craven	1,100	1,200
Greene	1,000	1,000
Hyde	1,500	2,400
Johnston	7,800	7,600
Jones	1,200	1,200
Lenoir	1,900	1,700
Pamlico	600	700
Pitt	5,000	4,900
Wayne	3,100	2,900
Wilson	900	800
C. COASTAL	27,700	28,600
Bladen	2,500	2,100
Brunswick	600	900
Columbus	3,500	3,500
Cumberland	2,800	3,600
Duplin	4,100	3,800
Harnett	4,300	4,800
Hoke	1,100	1,200
New Hanover	*	*
Onslow	1,000	1,400
Pender	800	800
Robeson	2,600	2,600
Sampson	5,300	5,400
Scotland	2,900	2,800
S. COASTAL	31,600	33,000
STATE TOTAL	398,000	415,000

* Counties with less than 500 beef cows not published.

BEEF COWS -- JANUARY 1, 1979

DISTRICTS	NUMBER ON FARMS
N. Mountain	53,500
W. Mountain	55,500
N. Piedmont	61,700
C. Piedmont	77,300
S. Piedmont	67,200
N. Coastal	29,500
C. Coastal	26,900
S. Coastal	30,400
STATE TOTAL	402,000

BEEF COWS AND HEIFERS THAT HAVE CALVED: Number On Farms, January 1, 1977

ALL HOGS: Number On Farms, By Counties, December 1, 1976-77

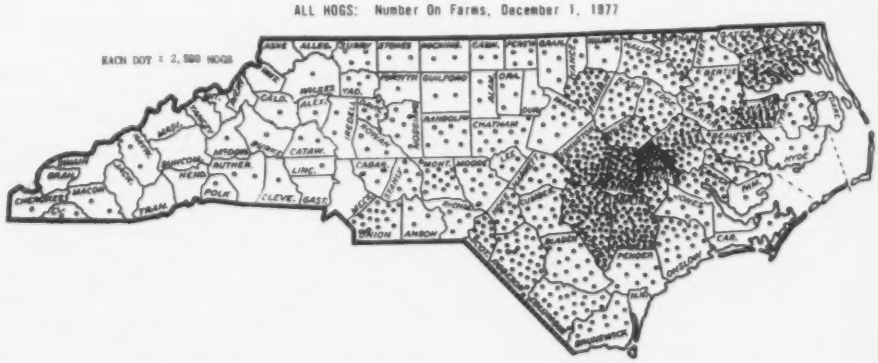
COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	1976	1977
Alleghany	*	*
Ashe	1,100	1,200
Avery	*	*
Caldwell	2,500	3,600
Surry	9,000	10,200
Watauga	*	*
Wilkes	2,700	2,800
Yadkin	5,000	6,500
N. MOUNTAIN	21,600	25,600
Buncombe	1,200	1,200
Burke	1,800	1,800
Cherokee	1,800	3,700
Clay	3,300	4,500
Graham	*	*
Haywood	2,700	4,500
Henderson	1,200	1,100
Jackson	*	*
McDowell	2,400	2,300
Macon	3,200	4,000
Madison	*	*
Mitchell	*	*
Polk	*	3,000
Rutherford	3,000	4,500
Swain	*	*
Transylvania	1,400	1,200
Yancey	1,100	1,200
W. MOUNTAIN	26,200	35,700
Alamance	5,700	5,400
Caswell	3,300	3,800
Durham	2,800	2,700
Forsyth	1,800	1,700
Franklin	41,600	53,000
Granville	8,500	9,000
Guilford	6,200	5,100
Orange	7,000	7,400
Person	9,200	11,000
Rockingham	4,000	4,100
Stokes	3,400	4,000
Vance	6,600	6,200
Warren	6,700	7,600
N. PIEDMONT	106,800	121,000
Alexander	1,500	1,500
Catawba	4,200	5,300
Chatham	20,400	24,000
Davidson	14,000	14,600
Davie	7,400	9,000
Iredell	4,200	4,600
Lee	8,000	8,400
Randolph	19,300	17,600
Rowan	6,600	8,500
Wake	21,000	26,000
C. PIEDMONT	106,600	119,500
Anson	7,000	8,400
Cabarrus	5,100	8,200
Cleveland	2,200	2,500
Gaston	1,400	1,300
Lincoln	1,300	2,900
Mecklenburg	*	*
Montgomery	20,100	35,100
Moore	20,000	23,100
Richmond	8,200	10,500
Stanly	17,100	15,200
Union	34,100	42,700
S. PIEDMONT	117,300	150,500
Bertie	30,100	38,400
Camden	28,000	27,000
Chowan	20,000	25,700
Currituck	26,200	24,000
Dare	*	*
Edgecombe	33,400	35,400
Gates	29,000	37,000
Halifax	43,900	44,000
Hertford	10,000	11,200
Martin	37,100	40,000
Nash	40,700	38,600
Northampton	50,100	56,000
Pasquotank	15,000	19,000
Perquimans	39,800	44,000
Tyrrell	15,900	16,100
Washington	37,000	72,000
N. COASTAL	456,400	528,500
Beaufort	50,400	63,600
Carteret	2,300	2,500
Craven	19,800	29,000
Greene	63,100	100,000
Hyde	8,900	10,000
Johnston	119,500	127,000
Jones	10,000	14,000
Lenoir	39,700	55,000
Pamlico	1,800	1,800
Pitt	72,200	87,000
Wayne	99,700	110,000
Wilson	37,600	39,300
C. COASTAL	525,000	639,200
Bladen	34,600	36,200
Brunswick	18,700	24,800
Columbus	53,400	53,000
Cumberland	23,600	23,600
Duplin	135,000	153,600
Harnett	24,000	28,000
Hoke	21,700	26,000
New Hanover	*	*
Onslow	35,600	42,000
Pender	16,000	18,800
Robeson	55,000	76,300
Sampson	135,000	170,200
Scotland	27,000	27,000
S. COASTAL	580,100	680,000
STATE TOTAL	1,940,000	2,300,000

* Counties with less than 1,000 head not published.

ALL HOGS -- December 1, 1978

DISTRICTS	NUMBER ON FARMS
N. Mountain	27,000
W. Mountain	40,000
N. Piedmont	125,000
C. Piedmont	125,000
S. Piedmont	152,000
N. Coastal	534,000
C. Coastal	650,000
S. Coastal	697,000
STATE TOTAL	2,350,000

ALL HOGS: Number On Farms, December 1, 1977



MEAT ANIMALS: Numbers, Production, Disposition, Price and Income, 1976-78

SPECIES	1976	1977	1978
		Thousands	
HOGS			
Number:			
On hand Dec. 1 preceding year (Total)	1,900	1,940	2,300
Spring Crop: (Dec.-May)			
Sows farrowed	232	218	230
Pigs saved	1,694	1,542	1,633
Fall Crop: (June-Nov.)			
Sows farrowed	197	223	237
Pigs saved	1,444	1,633	1,707
Inshipments	67	85	49
Marketings 1/	2,750	2,500	2,964
Farm Slaughter 2/	155	120	115
Deaths	260	280	260
Production (Lbs.) 3/	646,405	621,943	700,862
Marketings (Lbs.) 4/	592,635	532,500	645,337
Price Per 100 Lbs. ($) 5/	44.50	39.10	46.70
Cash Receipts from sales ($) 6/	263,723	208,208	301,372
Value of home consumption ($)	24,210	20,528	23,496
Gross Income ($)	287,933	228,736	324,868
CATTLE AND CALVES			
Number:			
On hand Jan. 1 (Total)	1,170	1,080	1,100
Cows and Heifers that have calved	610	545	561
Calves born	490	500	491
Inshipments	9	6	5
Marketings 1/:			
Cattle	246	211	241
Calves	235	197	205
Farm Slaughter 2/:			
Cattle and Calves	23	18	10
Deaths:			
Cattle	20	20	25
Calves	65	40	35
Production 3/:			
Total Cattle and Calves (Lbs.)	216,670	260,430	271,070
Marketings (Lbs.) 4/	257,094	222,624	272,118
Price per 100 Lbs. ($) 5/:			
Cattle	26.90	26.70	39.90
Calves	34.40	34.80	55.20
Cash Receipts from sales ($) 6/	72,983	62,857	116,798
Value of home consumption ($)	10,639	7,750	6,736
Gross Income ($)	83,622	70,607	123,534
SHEEP AND LAMBS			
Number:			
On hand Jan. 1 (Total)	10	9	9
Lambs saved	7.4	6.8	6.4
Inshipments	-	-	-
Marketings 1/:			
Sheep	2.1	1.1	2.7
Lambs	3.7	3.4	3.2
Farm Slaughter 2/:			
Sheep and Lambs	.8	.7	.6
Deaths:			
Sheep	.7	.6	.7
Lambs	1.1	1.0	1.2
Production 3/:			
Total Sheep and Lambs (Lbs.)	494	495	373
Marketings (Lbs.) 4/	542	396	560
Price per 100 Lbs. ($) 5/:			
Sheep	14.00	14.00	20.00
Lambs	38.00	36.00	44.50
Cash Receipts from sales ($) 6/	150	116	176
Value of home consumption ($)	36	34	38
Gross Income ($)	186	150	214

1/ Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced, State outshipments, but excludes interfarm sales within the State. 2/ Excludes custom slaughter for farmers at commercial establishments. 3/ Adjustments made for changes in inventory and for inshipments. 4/ Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and interfarm sales within the State. 5/ Price per 100 lbs. 6/ Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

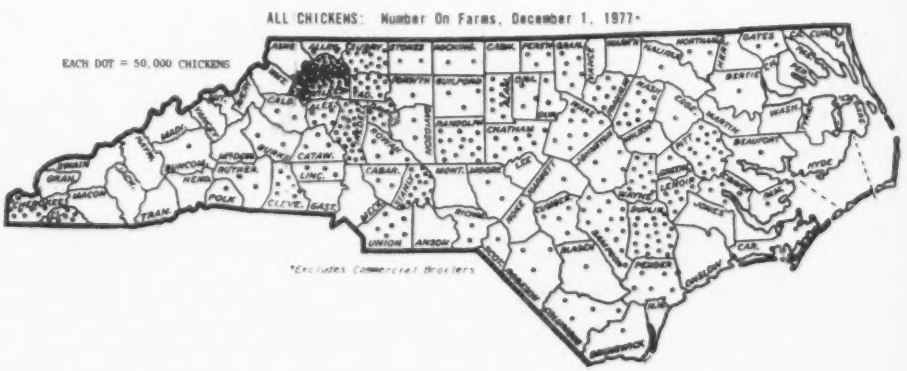
ALL CHICKENS: Number On Farms, By Counties, December 1, 1976-77 1/

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	1976	1977
Alleghany	100,000	88,000
Ashe	38,000	19,000
Avery	*	*
Caldwell	110,000	108,000
Surry	650,000	670,000
Watauga	22,000	23,000
Wilkes	3,396,000	3,400,000
Yadkin	517,000	509,000
N. MOUNTAIN	4,835,000	4,819,000
Buncombe	65,000	50,000
Burke	75,000	77,000
Cherokee	335,000	375,000
Clay	286,000	315,000
Graham	*	*
Haywood	11,000	11,000
Henderson	*	*
Jackson	*	*
McDowell	17,000	15,000
Macon	22,000	20,000
Madison	8,000	6,000
Mitchell	*	*
Polk	64,000	68,000
Rutherford	74,000	102,000
Swain	*	*
Transylvania	7,000	7,000
Yancey	6,000	6,000
W. MOUNTAIN	980,000	1,062,000
Alamance	344,000	400,000
Caswell	19,000	21,000
Durham	79,000	75,000
Forsyth	50,000	60,000
Franklin	271,000	295,000
Granville	303,000	315,000
Guilford	146,000	145,000
Orange	155,000	153,000
Person	137,000	141,000
Rockingham	107,000	110,000
Stokes	115,000	108,000
Vance	*	*
Warren	5,000	6,000
N. PIEDMONT	1,735,000	1,833,000
Alexander	250,000	260,000
Catawba	120,000	128,000
Chatham	363,000	396,000
Davidson	109,000	120,000
Davie	356,000	305,000
Iredell	1,172,000	1,209,000
Lee	*	*
Randolph	660,000	675,000
Rowan	201,000	185,000
Wake	373,000	402,000
C. PIEDMONT	3,606,000	3,683,000
Anson	14,000	20,000
Cabarrus	110,000	95,000
Cleveland	443,000	500,000
Gaston	8,000	10,000
Lincoln	171,000	173,000
Mecklenburg	11,000	8,000
Montgomery	15,000	16,000
Moore	108,000	110,000
Richmond	63,000	75,000
Stanly	725,000	752,000
Union	310,000	317,000
S. PIEDMONT	1,978,000	2,076,000
Bertie	26,000	27,000
Camden	*	*
Chowan	5,000	5,000
Currituck	*	*
Dare	*	*
Edgecombe	39,000	45,000
Gates	102,000	120,000
Halifax	76,000	74,000
Hertford	*	*
Martin	5,000	7,000
Nash	470,000	485,000
Northampton	105,000	108,000
Pasquotank	*	*
Perquimans	*	*
Tyrrell	8,000	8,000
Washington	7,000	7,000
N. COASTAL	856,000	899,000
Beaufort	77,000	72,000
Carteret	50,000	48,000
Craven	206,000	213,000
Greene	54,000	60,000
Hyde	*	*
Johnston	242,000	202,000
Jones	*	*
Lenoir	204,000	300,000
Pamlico	65,000	68,000
Pitt	683,000	750,000
Wayne	485,000	550,000
Wilson	29,000	30,000
C. COASTAL	2,099,000	2,299,000
Bladen	65,000	66,000
Brunswick	31,000	28,000
Columbus	210,000	208,000
Cumberland	226,000	201,000
Duplin	985,000	1,016,000
Harnett	40,000	45,000
Hoke	*	*
New Hanover	18,000	19,000
Onslow	44,000	24,000
Pender	271,000	280,000
Robeson	172,000	144,000
Sampson	604,000	655,000
Scotland	43,000	40,000
S. COASTAL	2,711,000	2,729,000
STATE TOTAL	18,800,000	19,400,000

1/ Excludes commercial broilers. * Counties with less than 5,000 birds not published.

ALL CHICKENS--DECEMBER 1, 1978

DISTRICTS	NUMBER ON FARMS
N. Mountain	4,888,000
W. Mountain	1,171,000
N. Piedmont	1,936,000
C. Piedmont	3,998,000
S. Piedmont	2,146,000
N. Coastal	959,000
C. Coastal	2,724,000
S. Coastal	2,878,000
STATE TOTAL	20,700,000



CHICKENS: Farm Production, Disposition and Income, 1976-78 1/

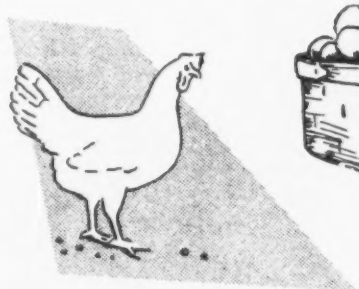
YEAR	NUMBER			POUNDS			Price Per Pound	Cash Receipts From Sales	Value Of Chickens Consumed In Household	Gross Income
	Produced	Consumed In Farm Household	Sold	Produced	Consumed In Farm Household	Sold				
	Thousands						Cents	Thousand Dollars		
1976	11,800	1,000	10,000	76,738	4,500	70,000	19.8	13,860	891	14,751
1977	11,900	1,000	10,300	84,443	4,500	77,250	17.0	13,133	765	13,898
1978	11,300	1,000	9,000	72,475	4,500	63,000	21.5	13,545	968	14,513

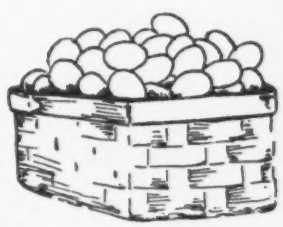
1/ Excludes commercial broilers.

EGGS: Farm Production, Disposition and Income, 1976-78 1/

YEAR	Average Number Layers During Year	Average Eggs Laid Annually Per Layer On Farm	Eggs Produced	Consumed In Farm Household	Sold	Average Price Per Dozen	Cash Receipts	Value Of Eggs Consumed In Farm Household	Gross Income
	Thousands	Number		Millions		Cents		Thousand Dollars	
1976	11,591	238	2,756	21	2,735	67.1	152,932	1,174	154,106
1977	11,874	240	2,846	19	2,827	66.3	156,192	1,050	157,242
1978	12,738	242	3,081	19	3,062	61.8	157,693	979	158,672

1/ Data are on a December 1 - November 30 production year basis.





COMMERCIAL BROILERS: Production, Price and Income 1976-78

YEAR	Number Produced	Pounds Produced	Price Per Pound	Gross Income
	Thousands		Cents	Thousand Dollars
1976	315,589	1,262,356	23.6	297,916
1977	339,271	1,357,084	23.4	317,558
1978	353,480	1,413,920	25.9	366,205

TURKEY BREEDER HENS: Number On Farms and Value, December 1, 1976-78

YEAR	Number	Value Per Head	Total Value
	Thousands	Dollars	Thousand Dollars
1976	365	10.60	3,869
1977	420	13.60	5,712
1978	495	11.90	5,891

TURKEYS: Farm Production, Disposition and Income, 1976-78

YEAR	Number Raised	Pounds Produced	Price Per Pound	Gross Income 1/
	Thousands		Cents	Thousand Dollars
1976	16,700	283,900	35.0	99,365
1977	16,500	290,400	37.9	110,062
1978	18,854	324,289	43.0	139,444

1/ Includes value of consumption in households of producers.

HENS AND PULLETS OF LAYING AGE: Average Number On Farms, By Months, 1976-78

YEAR	Dec. 1/	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Monthly Average
	Thousands												
1976	11,950	11,800	11,850	11,800	11,600	11,300	11,050	11,200	11,375	11,525	11,700	11,937	11,591
1977	12,262	12,225	11,950	11,750	11,500	11,450	11,600	11,550	11,575	11,975	12,250	12,400	11,874
1978	12,700	12,600	12,250	12,400	12,550	12,450	12,375	12,425	12,750	13,300	13,550	13,500	12,738

1/ December preceding year.

RATE OF LAY: Eggs Produced Per Hundred Layers, By Months, 1976-78

YEAR	Dec. 1/	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Yearly Total	Monthly Average
	Number													
1976	1,993	1,969	1,856	2,031	1,974	2,040	1,968	2,021	2,031	1,956	2,003	1,956	23,798	1,983
1977	2,018	1,956	1,775	2,046	2,028	2,086	1,977	1,984	1,990	2,013	2,096	2,013	23,982	1,999
1978	2,074	2,021	1,795	2,034	2,025	2,108	2,046	2,093	2,062	1,983	2,018	1,938	24,197	2,016

1/ December preceding year.

EGG PRODUCTION: Number Of Eggs Produced On Farms, By Months, 1976-78

YEAR	Dec. 1/	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Yearly Total	Monthly Average
	Millions													
1976	238	232	220	240	229	231	217	226	231	225	234	233	2,756	238
1977	247	239	212	240	233	239	229	229	230	241	257	250	2,846	240
1978	263	255	220	252	254	262	253	260	263	264	273	262	3,081	242

1/ December preceding year.

COMMERCIAL HATCHERIES: Chicks Hatched, By Type and Turkey Poults Hatched, By Months, 1977-78

MONTH	CHICKS HATCHED						TURKEY POULTS HATCHED	
	1977			1978				
	Broiler Type	Egg Type	Total	Broiler Type	Egg Type	Total	1977	1978
	Thousands						Thousands	
January	31,768	850	32,618	32,165	900	33,065	1,211	1,855
February	28,847	895	29,742	29,325	930	30,255	1,190	1,774
March	34,008	904	34,912	33,622	1,560	35,182	1,612	1,757
April	33,531	1,140	34,671	33,857	1,150	35,007	1,697	1,941
May	34,494	900	35,394	35,444	1,300	36,744	1,894	2,080
June	33,587	650	34,237	34,219	1,130	35,349	1,794	1,761
July	32,423	860	33,283	33,828	430	34,258	1,951	2,026
August	30,045	600	30,645	32,092	350	32,442	1,125	1,841
September	28,710	600	29,310	28,968	440	29,408	1,065	1,494
October	29,714	635	30,349	29,966	530	30,496	1,286	1,487
November	28,657	530	29,187	29,385	580	29,965	1,288	1,824
December	31,225	675	31,900	31,721	1,050	32,771	1,272	1,921
YEARLY TOTAL	377,009	9,239	386,248	384,592	10,350	394,942	17,385	21,761

COMMERCIAL HATCHERIES: Broiler and Turkey Poult Eggs Set and Hatch, By Weeks, 1978

MONTH & WEEK 1/		COMMERCIAL BROILERS			TURKEY POULTS	
		Eggs Set	Chicks Placed	Marketable Broilers 2/	Eggs Set	Poults Hatched
				Thousands		
January	1	8,997	6,946	6,091	660	375
	14	8,929	6,746	6,216	636	421
	21	9,182	7,147	6,274	567	446
	28	8,769	7,072	6,271	542	400
February	4	8,954	6,986	6,391	565	497
	11	9,004	7,281	6,492	537	472
	18	9,243	6,779	6,533	565	421
	25	9,268	7,071	6,615	448	416
March	4	9,279	7,135	6,614	545	422
	11	9,404	7,156	6,737	578	412
	18	9,489	7,289	6,778	621	414
	25	9,439	7,306	6,856	639	341
April	1	9,675	7,425	6,899	611	407
	8	9,859	7,493	6,804	642	430
	15	9,816	7,424	6,832	663	458
	22	9,701	7,548	6,784	665	480
	29	9,855	7,712	6,906	669	449
May	6	9,719	7,487	6,977	646	466
	13	9,726	7,549	7,032	583	480
	20	9,675	7,619	7,119	502	474
	27	9,783	7,626	7,185	604	462
June	3	9,762	7,574	7,223	623	462
	10	9,791	7,580	7,263	615	401
	17	9,546	7,625	7,334	670	364
	24	9,316	7,572	7,354	708	426
July	1	9,672	7,519	7,354	671	434
	8	9,593	7,313	7,324	605	419
	15	9,474	7,165	7,369	652	466
	22	9,334	7,332	7,377	600	483
	29	9,097	7,147	7,365	569	471
August	5	9,190	7,149	7,364	588	437
	12	8,867	7,073	7,364	543	440
	19	8,719	6,866	7,344	552	412
	26	8,910	6,741	7,243	540	402
September	2	8,467	6,696	7,112	454	386
	9	7,914	6,626	7,051	533	359
	16	8,191	6,883	6,998	466	371
	23	9,057	6,231	6,992	455	356
	30	8,859	6,082	6,909	507	297
October	7	8,349	6,338	6,818	578	346
	14	7,978	7,095	6,686	598	322
	21	8,327	6,878	6,564	586	306
	28	8,712	6,327	6,486	553	343
November	4	8,680	6,075	6,532	678	398
	11	9,043	6,315	6,382	655	436
	18	9,125	6,806	6,206	676	427
	25	8,881	6,442	6,030	579	399
December	2	9,075	6,813	6,309	539	467
	9	8,439	6,935	6,567	627	468
	16	9,201	6,798	6,563	695	466
	23	9,266	7,256	6,233	725	416
	30	9,233	6,646	6,051	705	374

1/ Week ending on date shown. 2/ Marketable broilers computed on basis of three percent mortality and placements 7-9 weeks earlier.

COMMERCIAL LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER: Commercial Slaughter, By Months, 1977-78

MONTH	CATTLE			CALVES			SHEEP AND LAMBS			HOGS		
	Number	Average Live Weight	Total Live Weight	Number	Average Live Weight	Total Live Weight	Number	Average Live Weight	Total Live Weight	Number	Average Live Weight	Total Live Weight
		Pounds	Thousand Pounds		Pounds	Thousand Pounds		Pounds	Thousand Pounds		Pounds	Thousand Pounds
						1977						
January	17,900	886	15,852	600	209	132	-	-	-	156,400	223	34,802
February	15,500	891	13,817	900	250	214	100	104	5	148,600	220	32,672
March	16,500	889	14,682	600	183	116	-	-	-	176,400	221	39,059
April	15,000	884	13,225	600	238	134	-	-	-	167,100	223	37,330
May	14,200	872	12,367	500	239	111	-	-	-	157,100	223	35,039
June	14,700	887	13,062	500	216	107	100	81	5	162,700	222	36,088
July	13,900	877	12,162	400	205	84	-	-	-	127,300	219	27,840
August	17,400	858	14,908	700	233	154	100	97	6	150,700	213	32,131
September	15,300	839	12,821	600	248	159	100	120	6	141,100	227	32,070
October	18,500	831	15,362	700	286	204	100	108	11	165,300	224	36,968
November	21,400	829	17,741	1,000	263	253	-	-	-	172,300	227	39,083
December	17,500	864	15,084	600	238	152	-	-	-	154,000	221	33,989
Total Commercial	197,600	866	171,084	7,700	237	1,820	600	100	55	1,879,100	222	417,073
						1978						
January	15,800	875	13,856	600	257	156	-	-	-	167,100	222	37,023
February	14,100	875	12,321	500	246	126	-	-	-	151,600	219	33,279
March	14,800	887	13,121	600	261	148	100	100	6	171,800	221	37,917
April	12,600	878	11,090	400	281	112	100	66	8	154,500	222	34,289
May	12,900	903	11,646	400	271	102	-	-	-	166,000	225	37,412
June	11,800	907	10,676	500	273	127	100	97	12	159,800	224	35,776
July	10,200	917	9,376	300	242	71	-	-	-	126,900	219	27,814
August	10,700	933	9,970	300	262	85	100	117	10	168,900	221	37,261
September	10,500	912	9,553	400	297	112	-	-	-	160,800	223	35,892
October	13,600	882	11,966	600	318	179	100	120	13	167,200	226	37,801
November	14,100	909	12,825	600	259	152	100	67	4	177,600	229	40,761
December	9,600	903	8,634	400	313	119	-	-	-	160,000	228	36,553
Total Commercial	150,600	897	135,034	5,500	273	1,490	800	95	74	1,932,300	223	431,778

NOTE: Total commercial includes slaughter in Federally inspected and other slaughter plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms. Details may not add to totals because of rounding.

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LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER: Farm Slaughter and Total Slaughter, 1977-78

SPECIES	1977		1978	
	Farm	Total Slaughter 1/	Farm	Total Slaughter 1/
	Thousand Head			
Cattle and Calves	18.0	223.3	10.0	166.1
Sheep	.7	1.3	.6	1.4
Hogs	120.0	1,999.1	115.0	2,047.3

1/ *Includes Farm Slaughter and Commercial Slaughter.*

SLAUGHTERING ESTABLISHMENTS: Number Of Livestock Slaughtering Establishments, March 1, 1978-79

TYPE OF SLAUGHTERING ESTABLISHMENTS	1978	1979
Under Federal Inspection	20	17
Other	132	123
Total	152	140

HONEY AND BEESWAX: Number Of Colonies, Yield Per Colony, Production, Price and Value, 1976-78

YEAR	Colonies Of Bees	HONEY				BEESWAX		
		Yield Per Colony	Total Production	Average Price Per Pound	Value Of Production	Production	Average Price Per Pound	Value Of Production
	Thous.	*Pounds*	*Thous. Pounds*	*Cents*	*Thous. Dols.*	*Thous. Pounds*	*Cents*	*Thous. Dols.*
1976	210	20	4,200	71.3	2,995	59	1.00	59
1977	205	25	5,125	79.3	4,064	97	1.39	135
1978	190	32	6,080	89.9	5,466	122	1.53	187

DAIRY PRODUCTS: Sales, Prices, Value Of Sales and Gross Income, 1976-78

YEAR	MILK SOLD TO PLANTS AND DEALERS			MILK AND CREAM RETAILED BY FARMERS			COMBINED MARKETINGS OF MILK AND CREAM				USED FOR MILK CREAM & BUTTER ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED		Gross Farm Income From Dairy Products 1/	Farm Value Of Milk Produced 2/
	Quantity	Price Per Cwt.	Cash Receipts	Milk Equivalent	Price Per Quart	Cash Receipts	Milk Utilized	AVERAGE RETURN Per Cwt. Milk	AVERAGE RETURN Per Pound Milkfat	Cash Receipts From Marketings	Milk Utilized	Value		
	Mil. Lbs.	*Dols.*	*Thous. Dols.*	*Mil. Quarts*	*Cents*	*Thous. Dols.*	*Mil. Lbs.*	*Dollars*		*Thous. Dols.*	*Million Pounds*	*Thousand Dollars*		
1976	1,495	10.60	158,470	9	37.0	3,442	1,515	10.69	2.89	161,912	65	6,949	168,861	169,971
1977	1,505	10.90	164,045	8	35.0	2,767	1,522	10.96	2.99	166,812	60	6,576	173,388	174,483
1978	1,485	11.40	169,290	9	40.0	3,721	1,505	11.50	3.15	173,011	50	5,750	178,761	180,205

1/ *Cash receipts from marketings of milk and cream plus value of milk consumed on farm and farm churned butter.*
2/ *Includes value of milk fed to calves in addition to gross farm income.*

DAIRY PRODUCTS: Production and Disposition Of Milk and Milk Products, 1976-78

YEAR	Milk Cows On Farms 1/	PRODUCTION OF MILK AND MILKFAT					MILK USED ON FARM WHERE PRODUCED			MILK MARKETED BY FARMERS		
		PER MILK COW		Percent Fat In Milk	TOTAL		Fed To Calves	Consumed As Fluid Milk Or Cream	Total	Sold To Plants & Dealers As Whole Milk	Retailed By Farmers As Milk and Cream	Total Used In Products Sold
		Whole Milk	Milkfat		Whole Milk	Milkfat						
	Thous.	*Pounds*		*Percent*			*Million Pounds*					
1976	147	10,816	400	3.70	1,590	59	10	65	75	1,495	20	1,515
1977	145	10,979	403	3.67	1,592	58	10	60	70	1,505	17	1,522
1978	143	10,958	400	3.65	1,567	57	12	50	62	1,485	20	1,505

1/ *Average number on farms during year excluding heifers not yet fresh.*

DAIRY MANUFACTURING: Production Of Specified Products, 1976-78

YEAR	Ice Cream	Milk Sherbet	Ice Milk	Water Ices	Ice Cream Mix	All Other Mix	Cottage Cheese Curd	Cottage Cheese Creamed
	Thousand Gallons						*Thousand Pounds*	
1976	27,966	1,486	8,525	2,422	13,442	6,218	4,370	4,812
1977	26,563	1,780	10,662	1,485	13,374	7,572	4,360	5,725
1978	26,341	1,792	10,901	1,467	13,493	7,867	4,479	6,297

MILK: Grade A Purchases From Producers By North Carolina Distributors, 1974-78 1/

MONTH	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
	Thousand Pounds				
Jan.	110,893	114,440	117,069	123,541	118,981
Feb.	102,117	105,768	113,238	109,883	109,684
Mar.	116,128	117,966	127,670	127,380	123,830
Apr.	113,994	117,936	123,277	125,645	118,854
May	114,974	119,586	123,625	124,464	119,525
June	103,286	107,910	113,669	113,565	108,342
July	104,112	107,698	112,800	110,907	106,024
Aug.	105,083	106,526	113,993	115,821	108,317
Sep.	103,273	106,232	113,727	113,330	110,848
Oct.	107,526	110,961	119,500	119,108	117,111
Nov.	106,047	109,414	117,272	115,104	114,030
Dec.	110,569	115,545	123,140	120,428	119,852
TOTAL	1,298,002	1,339,982	1,418,980	1,419,176	1,375,398

1/ Includes purchase from producers located within or outside North Carolina.

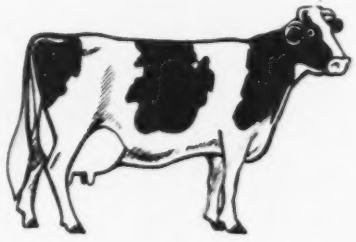
MILK: Grade A Purchases From Producers By North Carolina Distributors, By Classes, 1977-78 1/

MONTH	CLASS I PURCHASES 2/		CLASS II PURCHASES	
	1977	1978	1977	1978
	Thousand Pounds			
Jan.	104,049	104,528	19,492	14,453
Feb.	92,410	94,773	17,473	14,911
Mar.	103,957	104,113	23,423	19,717
Apr.	99,119	95,837	26,526	23,017
May	103,794	101,732	20,670	17,793
June	95,500	92,400	18,065	15,942
July	95,382	91,184	15,525	14,840
Aug.	98,710	95,508	17,111	12,809
Sep.	106,790	103,665	6,540	7,183
Oct.	106,074	104,469	13,034	12,642
Nov.	102,669	99,086	12,435	14,944
Dec.	100,540	96,700	19,888	23,152
TOTAL	1,208,994	1,183,995	210,182	191,403

1/ Includes purchases from producers located within or outside North Carolina. 2/ Class I is a total of regular Class I and IA allocations.

MILK: Average Daily Production Per Grade A Producer, 1974-78

MONTH	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
	Pounds				
Jan.	2,048	2,243	2,386	2,612	2,686
Feb.	2,100	2,292	2,470	2,584	2,749
Mar.	2,167	2,319	2,613	2,718	2,811
Apr.	2,208	2,412	2,609	2,777	2,808
May	2,022	2,166	2,550	2,684	2,725
June	2,023	2,211	2,427	2,524	2,591
July	1,988	2,139	2,337	2,396	2,477
Aug.	2,019	2,121	2,360	2,514	2,541
Sep.	2,061	2,195	2,458	2,589	2,713
Oct.	2,100	2,243	2,505	2,675	2,786
Nov.	2,146	2,294	2,555	2,663	2,809
Dec.	2,167	2,350	2,600	2,703	2,866



FLUID MILK AND CREAM: Sales To Consumers By North Carolina Distributors, 1974-78 1/

MONTH	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
	Thousand Pounds				
Jan.	92,835	93,219	99,539	96,793	97,228
Feb.	84,403	85,268	93,093	87,621	87,677
Mar.	92,630	91,795	102,242	100,065	97,327
Apr.	90,971	91,454	96,140	94,302	92,670
May	95,610	98,163	97,792	97,730	97,036
June	80,370	82,056	86,380	85,739	86,128
July	83,493	85,244	89,372	86,006	85,234
Aug.	88,493	87,950	90,048	90,613	90,079
Sep.	92,212	98,959	99,147	100,496	97,929
Oct.	98,509	101,456	100,448	99,020	98,140
Nov.	93,352	93,026	98,218	95,347	94,968
Dec.	87,841	96,322	95,038	94,487	92,237
TOTAL	1,080,719	1,104,912	1,147,457	1,128,219	1,116,653

1/ Includes sales to consumers within or outside North Carolina; includes military sales. Milk shake sales included in data.

NUMBER GRADE A MILK PRODUCERS 1974-78

MONTH	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
	Number				
Jan.	1,747	1,646	1,583	1,526	1,429
Feb.	1,737	1,648	1,581	1,519	1,425
Mar.	1,729	1,641	1,576	1,512	1,421
Apr.	1,721	1,630	1,575	1,508	1,411
May	1,712	1,628	1,564	1,507	1,415
June	1,702	1,627	1,561	1,500	1,394
July	1,689	1,624	1,557	1,493	1,381
Aug.	1,679	1,620	1,558	1,486	1,375
Sep.	1,670	1,613	1,542	1,459	1,362
Oct.	1,652	1,596	1,539	1,446	1,356
Nov.	1,647	1,590	1,530	1,441	1,353
Dec.	1,646	1,586	1,528	1,437	1,349

MILK COWS: Number On Farms, By Months, 1976-78

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Yearly Average 1/
	Thousand Head												
1976	146	147	147	147	147	147	147	147	147	148	147	147	147
1977	146	146	146	145	143	143	143	145	144	145	144	144	145
1978	145	145	145	143	144	142	142	141	141	142	143	143	143

1/ Includes dry cows, excludes heifers not yet fresh.

MILK PRODUCTION: Average Pounds Per Cow, By Months, 1976-78

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Yearly Average 1/
	Pounds												
1976	890	860	915	920	940	890	870	890	875	920	910	930	10,816
1977	940	855	940	945	960	895	890	895	910	940	915	935	10,979
1978	930	860	940	940	945	900	900	895	890	925	900	935	10,958

1/ Yearly total may not equal sum of monthly estimates because of rounding.

MILK PRODUCTION: Total Pounds, By Months, 1976-78

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Yearly Total
	Million Pounds												
1976	130	126	135	135	138	131	128	131	129	136	134	137	1,590
1977	137	125	137	137	137	128	127	130	131	136	132	135	1,592
1978	135	125	136	134	136	128	128	126	125	131	129	134	1,567

MILK FOR FLUID USE: Average Prices Received By Farmers, By Months, 1976-78

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Average
	Dollars Per Hundredweight												
1976	11.00	11.20	10.60	10.50	10.50	10.40	10.50	10.50	10.80	10.90	10.90	10.90	10.80
1977	11.00	11.00	10.90	10.70	10.80	10.80	10.80	10.80	11.10	11.10	11.30	11.30	11.00
1978	11.40	11.50	11.30	11.20	11.30	11.20	11.20	11.30	11.40	11.90	12.00	11.90	11.50

MILK FOR MANUFACTURE: Average Prices Received By Farmers, By Months, 1976-78

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Average
	Dollars Per Hundredweight												
1976	8.20	7.95	7.65	7.60	7.60	7.65	8.00	8.65	8.80	8.60	8.60	8.50	8.25
1977	8.55	8.45	8.40	8.45	8.50	8.55	8.60	8.60	8.70	8.90	9.00	9.10	8.65
1978	9.15	9.20	9.15	9.05	9.10	9.10	9.20	9.40	9.75	10.20	10.60	10.80	9.50

ALL MILK: Average Prices Received By Farmers, By Months, 1976-78

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Average
	Dollars Per Hundredweight												
1976	11.00	11.20	10.60	10.40	10.40	10.30	10.40	10.40	10.70	10.80	10.80	10.80	10.60
1977	10.90	10.90	10.80	10.60	10.70	10.70	10.70	10.70	11.00	11.00	11.20	11.20	10.90
1978	11.30	11.40	11.20	11.10	11.20	11.10	11.10	11.20	11.30	11.80	12.00	11.90	11.40

PRICES: Season Average Prices Received By Farmers For Specified Commodities, North Carolina and United States, 1974-78

YEAR	Corn Bu.	Wheat Bu.	Oats Bu.	Rye Bu.	Barley Bu.	Soybeans Bu.	Hogs Cwt.	Beef Cattle Cwt.	Calves Cwt.	Milk Cwt.	Farm Chickens Lb.	Com'l. Broilers Lb.	Eggs Doz.
	Dollars											Cents	
	NORTH CAROLINA												
1974	3.18	3.29	1.44	2.85	1.87	6.81	35.00	30.30	36.30	10.10	15.0	21.2	64.0
1975	2.69	2.79	1.43	2.29	1.79	4.67	46.40	23.00	27.40	10.50	20.9	25.6	62.3
1976	2.38	3.00	1.55	2.40	1.95	6.65	44.50	26.90	34.40	10.60	19.8	23.6	67.1
1977	2.01	2.20	1.39	2.25	1.80	6.02	39.10	26.70	34.80	10.90	17.0	23.4	66.3
1978	2.35	2.85	1.25	2.65	1.80	6.75	46.70	39.90	55.00	11.40	21.5	25.9	61.8
	UNITED STATES												
1974	3.02	4.09	1.53	2.51	2.81	6.64	34.20	35.60	35.20	8.33	9.7	21.5	53.3
1975	2.54	3.56	1.46	2.36	2.42	4.92	46.10	32.30	27.20	8.75	9.9	26.3	52.5
1976	2.15	2.73	1.56	2.47	2.25	6.81	43.30	33.70	34.20	9.66	12.9	23.6	58.4
1977	2.02	2.33	1.10	2.05	1.78	5.88	39.40	34.40	36.90	9.72	12.1	23.6	55.7
1978	2.11	2.94	1.18	1.98	1.90	6.65	46.60	48.50	59.10	10.58	12.4	26.3	52.2

PRICES: Averages Received By Farmers For Specified Crops, By Months, 1976-78

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
	CORN (Dollars Per Bushel)											
1976	2.56	2.60	2.64	2.62	2.73	2.90	2.99	2.81	2.47	2.37	2.21	2.28
1977	2.53	2.56	2.55	2.57	2.45	2.42	2.10	1.62	1.70	1.77	2.11	2.22
1978	2.33	2.34	2.51	2.64	2.74	2.78	2.47	2.12	2.11	2.31	2.35	2.36
	OATS (Dollars Per Bushel)											
1976	1.52	1.53	1.56	1.55	1.57	1.52	1.54	1.51	1.50	1.48	1.50	1.52
1977	1.66	1.62	1.78	1.81	1.35	1.31	1.23	1.43	1.36	1.38	1.38	-
1978	1.67	1.66	1.72	1.81	1.60	1.22	1.17	1.03	-	1.16	1.20	1.11
	SOYBEANS (Dollars Per Bushel)											
1976	4.43	4.53	4.62	4.60	4.88	5.89	5.89	6.08	6.74	6.16	6.27	6.55
1977	6.87	7.27	8.09	9.23	9.73	8.70	6.28	5.66	-	5.85	5.85	5.69
1978	5.75	5.70	6.68	7.03	7.14	6.95	6.57	6.47	6.59	6.22	6.38	6.41
	PEANUTS (Cents Per Pound)											
1976	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.5	19.7	20.1
1977	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.5	20.8	22.3
1978	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.0	22.1	21.3
	IRISH POTATOES (Dollars Per Cwt.)											
1976	-	-	-	-	-	5.50	5.25	5.30	5.25	5.55	5.85	5.85
1977	-	-	-	-	-	6.00	6.65	5.50	6.00	6.20	6.25	6.40
1978	-	-	-	-	-	6.10	5.40	9.40	8.90	7.35	8.10	7.35
	SWEET POTATOES (Dollars Per Cwt.)											
1976	8.95	9.10	9.00	9.50	9.05	-	-	5.00	4.50	3.75	3.90	4.50
1977	5.40	6.50	7.50	8.20	9.50	9.10	-	10.70	7.40	6.90	8.20	9.90
1978	10.20	10.40	11.10	11.60	12.60	-	-	12.50	8.00	5.50	9.00	11.10
	COMMERCIAL APPLES (Cents Per Pound)											
1976	6.15	6.50	6.25	-	-	-	11.40	12.40	12.20	11.20	10.60	10.50
1977	10.80	11.90	-	-	-	-	9.70	10.80	11.60	10.60	10.20	8.80
1978	8.60	9.20	-	-	-	-	-	10.50	12.00	11.20	13.00	11.50

PRICES: Averages Received By Farmers For Specified Livestock Items, By Months, 1976-78

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
					HOGS (Dollars Per 100 Pounds)							
1976	48.40	48.40	46.10	47.10	48.00	49.00	48.20	43.20	41.20	34.40	32.80	35.90
1977	37.20	38.60	37.00	35.50	38.30	42.30	44.70	42.90	40.40	39.80	38.70	41.70
1978	43.10	46.60	46.50	44.50	47.00	48.20	46.30	48.10	48.40	50.50	48.90	49.70
					BEEF CATTLE (Dollars Per 100 Pounds)							
1976	24.40	26.50	28.40	31.60	31.60	30.10	28.60	25.70	25.00	25.30	23.40	25.40
1977	26.50	24.50	28.90	29.90	29.90	27.30	25.40	25.40	26.00	25.80	25.40	26.00
1978	28.20	33.00	36.20	39.00	41.80	41.00	41.50	42.60	45.00	44.40	45.20	46.00
					CALVES (Dollars Per 100 Pounds)							
1976	31.80	34.90	38.90	40.50	40.60	37.20	35.70	29.80	30.70	31.20	28.70	30.90
1977	32.50	33.50	37.00	39.00	39.20	34.60	32.30	35.30	36.30	33.10	32.90	35.10
1978	40.00	42.40	49.40	51.20	58.30	56.10	56.70	59.20	62.30	59.00	63.00	68.70
					COWS 1/ (Dollars Per 100 Pounds)							
1976	21.40	23.30	25.90	27.20	28.00	26.00	25.50	22.50	21.50	22.30	19.00	21.80
1977	23.60	23.50	27.30	26.00	26.00	24.20	22.50	21.70	22.10	21.60	22.00	22.30
1978	26.10	29.00	33.20	35.00	37.50	35.50	37.40	35.90	38.20	38.20	39.20	40.50
					STEERS AND HEIFERS (Dollars Per 100 Pounds)							
1976	27.30	30.00	31.00	34.30	34.50	35.00	32.10	29.30	28.40	29.30	27.90	29.20
1977	30.00	28.90	30.80	32.00	33.00	31.10	30.70	30.40	31.70	30.00	29.80	31.00
1978	33.00	37.10	41.30	43.00	47.30	47.50	48.00	49.00	52.00	50.60	52.30	54.00
					MILK COWS (Dollars Per Head)							
1976	320.00	320.00	325.00	325.00	325.00	320.00	330.00	320.00	320.00	330.00	340.00	340.00
1977	335.00	325.00	330.00	330.00	330.00	345.00	345.00	345.00	355.00	355.00	350.00	345.00
1978	360.00	375.00	395.00	425.00	455.00	470.00	510.00	550.00	590.00	650.00	680.00	700.00
					COMMERCIAL BROILERS (Cents Per Pound)							
1976	24.0	25.0	25.0	23.0	24.5	25.0	25.0	24.5	23.0	21.0	19.5	19.0
1977	21.5	24.0	23.0	24.0	25.0	24.5	26.0	24.0	24.5	23.0	21.0	20.0
1978	22.0	23.5	23.5	26.5	26.5	29.5	33.5	28.5	27.5	24.0	24.5	24.0
					EGGS (Cents Per Dozen)							
1976	70.7	69.1	61.6	62.0	60.7	61.3	64.0	68.8	70.9	71.6	72.1	77.6
1977	75.2	77.1	70.6	68.7	61.9	58.5	62.5	62.9	63.6	59.8	61.3	61.9
1978	62.0	61.7	63.8	60.8	59.8	56.0	59.3	62.7	65.3	62.6	65.9	69.7
					TURKEYS (Cents Per Pound)							
1976	36.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	33.0	35.0	35.0	37.0
1977	35.0	35.0	38.0	35.0	35.0	38.0	37.0	36.0	35.0	39.0	44.0	45.0
1978	38.0	37.0	38.0	38.0	39.0	41.0	42.0	43.0	44.0	46.0	48.0	49.0

1/ Includes cull dairy cows sold for slaughter but not dairy cows for herd replacements.

PRICES: Index Numbers Of Prices Received By North Carolina and United States Farmers, Index Numbers Of Prices Paid By United States Farmers and Price Ratios, 1972-78, (1967 = 100)

YEAR	NORTH CAROLINA INDEX OF PRICES RECEIVED											UNITED STATES INDEX		
		CROPS						LIVESTOCK, DAIRY & POULTRY						
	All Farm Products	All Crops	Tobacco	Oil Bearing Crops	Grains	Com'l. Vegetables	Fruits	All Products	Meat Animals	Poultry	Dairy	Prices Received For All Farm Products	Prices Paid For All Commodities Bought Including Interest Taxes and Wage Rates	Ratio Of Prices Received To Prices Paid
1972	118	119	122	121	93	119	113	115	140	102	115	125	125	100
1973	156	144	132	197	156	154	131	178	202	180	135	179	144	124
1974	166	165	146	208	226	175	143	168	175	164	158	192	164	117
1975	174	167	155	190	206	176	183	186	204	185	163	185	180	103
1976	173	168	158	196	190	177	185	182	198	179	166	186	192	97
1977														
January	176	175	164	224	184	162	199	178	174	182	170	184	198	93
February	182	180	169	233	186	168	210	185	177	194	170	187	200	94
March	182	184	169	251	186	172	227	180	178	185	169	190	202	94
April	184	187	169	276	188	176	227	179	175	186	166	192	204	94
May	185	188	169	287	178	187	227	180	185	183	167	192	204	94
June	183	185	169	265	175	185	223	181	194	179	167	184	204	90
July	160	145	125	211	152	194	182	187	199	188	167	180	203	89
August	175	171	170	198	119	197	201	181	193	180	167	174	202	86
September	188	191	200	198	125	175	203	181	186	182	172	174	201	87
October	175	175	174	201	130	182	194	176	183	175	172	176	202	87
November	166	161	151	203	153	186	189	174	178	171	175	179	202	89
December	179	181	178	204	161	193	174	175	189	168	175	181	203	89
1977	178	177	167	229	161	181	205	180	184	181	170	183	202	91
1978														
January	181	181	178	200	170	195	171	181	200	172	176	187	209	89
February	184	181	178	199	171	196	178	189	218	177	178	193	211	91
March	189	186	178	221	183	200	205	193	226	180	180	200	214	93
April	191	188	178	228	193	197	205	195	222	189	173	208	216	96
May	194	191	178	231	200	227	205	200	237	189	173	215	219	98
June	198	193	178	226	200	259	265	206	240	198	176	217	220	99
July	198	188	177	218	178	234	265	215	235	217	176	216	220	98
August	198	193	190	216	153	238	229	207	241	199	176	211	221	95
September	209	210	215	219	153	211	244	208	248	199	176	217	223	97
October	191	203	205	215	167	187	236	171	252	125	184	218	224	97
November	188	196	191	219	171	219	253	173	250	130	186	216	225	96
December	183	195	191	217	170	226	239	175	257	129	189	222	226	98
1978	192	192	186	217	176	216	225	193	236	175	179	210	219	96

PRICES: Average Prices Paid For Feeder Pigs, Quarterly, 1975-78

YEAR	January	April	July	October
	Dollars			
1975	46.10	75.00	77.00	99.00
1976	80.00	91.00	75.50	55.00
1977	59.50	70.00	66.50	75.50
1978	69.00	82.50	79.00	99.00

PRICES: Averages Paid By Farmers For Feed, By Months, 1976-78

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
	Dollars Per Ton											
	POULTRY FEED: Chick Starter											
1976	166.00	162.00	159.00	157.00	163.00	166.00	176.00	178.00	176.00	170.00	167.00	171.00
1977	173.00	181.00	192.00	190.00	194.00	192.00	184.00	174.00	164.00	164.00	166.00	170.00
1978	171.00	174.00	171.00	178.00	182.00	188.00	184.00	179.00	176.00	177.00	187.00	188.00
	POULTRY FEED: Broiler Grower											
1976	174.00	175.00	174.00	177.00	173.00	177.00	181.00	177.00	179.00	171.00	173.00	175.00
1977	174.00	184.00	187.00	190.00	190.00	182.00	182.00	183.00	174.00	166.00	168.00	165.00
1978	168.00	167.00	166.00	171.00	178.00	183.00	179.00	179.00	176.00	172.00	183.00	191.00
	POULTRY FEED: Turkey Grower											
1976	166.00	167.00	165.00	165.00	169.00	172.00	176.00	178.00	179.00	174.00	175.00	178.00
1977	179.00	183.00	188.00	192.00	198.00	194.00	194.00	194.00	191.00	187.00	187.00	188.00
1978	188.00	191.00	193.00	190.00	192.00	192.00	192.00	192.00	195.00	196.00	199.00	191.00
	POULTRY FEED: Laying Feed											
1976	147.00	146.00	148.00	146.00	148.00	151.00	163.00	157.00	157.00	156.00	154.00	154.00
1977	158.00	161.00	165.00	168.00	172.00	167.00	157.00	149.00	140.00	141.00	146.00	146.00
1978	151.00	153.00	156.00	156.00	158.00	163.00	162.00	155.00	152.00	152.00	160.00	160.00
	Dollars Per Hundredweight											
	HIGH PROTEIN FEED: 44% Soybean Meal											
1976	9.40	9.50	9.30	9.50	9.60	11.00	12.50	12.00	12.50	12.00	12.00	12.50
1977	13.00	13.50	14.00	15.00	16.50	16.50	14.00	13.00	12.50	11.50	11.50	11.50
1978	12.00	11.50	12.00	12.50	12.50	12.50	12.50	12.00	12.00	12.50	12.50	12.50
	HIGH PROTEIN FEED: 41% Cottonseed Meal											
1976	9.50	9.60	9.70	9.60	9.50	10.00	10.50	11.50	12.00	12.00	11.50	12.00
1977	12.50	12.50	13.00	13.50	13.50	14.00	13.50	13.50	13.50	13.00	12.00	12.50
1978	12.50	11.50	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	13.00	12.50	13.00	12.00	12.50	12.50
	GRAIN BY PRODUCTS: Bran											
1976	7.50	7.40	7.40	7.50	7.30	7.40	7.70	7.80	7.60	7.80	7.70	7.80
1977	7.80	8.80	8.00	7.80	7.70	7.70	7.70	7.50	7.40	7.40	7.20	7.50
1978	7.60	7.60	7.80	7.70	7.90	7.90	7.70	7.50	7.40	7.60	7.60	7.60
	GRAIN BY PRODUCTS: Middlings											
1976	7.40	7.40	7.20	7.40	7.20	7.40	7.40	7.10	7.40	7.50	7.60	7.40
1977	7.40	7.40	7.40	7.50	7.30	7.40	7.30	7.10	7.10	6.90	7.00	7.10
1978	7.20	7.10	7.20	7.20	7.20	7.30	7.30	7.20	7.30	7.40	7.40	7.20
	GRAIN BY PRODUCTS: Corn Meal											
1976	6.90	6.90	6.90	6.80	6.80	6.90	7.10	7.30	6.80	6.60	6.40	6.50
1977	6.40	6.50	6.40	6.30	6.30	6.20	6.10	5.70	5.70	5.50	5.70	5.90
1978	5.80	6.00	6.20	6.40	6.50	6.70	6.60	6.20	6.10	6.10	6.30	6.20

PRICES: Averages Paid By Farmers For Mixed Fertilizer & Fertilizer Materials, Semi-Annually, 1976-78

YEAR	April	Oct.	April	Oct.	April	Oct.	April	Oct.	April	Oct.
	Dollars Per Ton									
	3-9-9		3-9-18		4-8-12		5-10-10		10-10-10	
1976	120.00	120.00	100.00	98.00	125.00	125.00	98.00	99.00	115.00	115.00
1977	115.00	120.00	98.00	96.00	120.00	125.00	98.00	100.00	110.00	110.00
1978	115.00	120.00	97.00	100.00	125.00	125.00	100.00	99.00	115.00	110.00
	Superphosphate 20% P_2O_5		Nitrate Of Soda		Ammonium Nitrate 33.5% N		Nitrogen Solution 30% N		Anhydrous Ammonia	
1976	100.00	96.00	150.00	145.00	150.00	145.00	110.00	110.00	230.00	215.00
1977	100.00	95.00	145.00	145.00	150.00	155.00	120.00	115.00	220.00	200.00
1978	95.00	91.00	145.00	145.00	150.00	150.00	115.00	110.00	205.00	205.00

FARM INCOME: Cash Receipts From Farming, By Commodities, 1973-77

COMMODITY	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1977 % Of Total Sales
			Thousand Dollars			*Percent*
ALL CROPS: TOTAL	1,361,189	1,657,501	1,637,434	1,755,975	1,554,421	59.3
FOOD GRAINS, TOTAL	10,858	26,429	20,415	14,426	14,300	.5
Wheat	10,414	25,670	19,944	13,856	13,705	.5
Rye	444	759	471	570	595	*
FEED CROPS, TOTAL	167,488	294,969	221,095	249,439	154,198	5.9
Corn	157,435	278,806	207,038	236,140	142,811	5.4
Hay	2,492	3,594	3,950	3,779	4,469	.2
Oats	1,358	2,117	2,335	2,020	1,812	.1
Sorghum Grain	4,756	8,606	5,960	5,869	3,666	.1
Barley	1,447	1,846	1,812	1,631	1,440	.1
COTTON, TOTAL	39,232	38,456	14,736	19,523	20,843	.8
Cotton, Lint	34,135	34,910	13,197	17,244	19,672	.8
Cottonseed	5,097	3,546	1,539	2,279	1,171	*
TOBACCO	719,160	838,429	951,356	998,699	866,020	33.0
OIL CROPS, TOTAL	245,587	267,319	239,728	253,705	229,472	8.8
Soybeans	170,965	200,175	166,980	170,576	139,307	5.3
Peanuts	74,622	67,144	72,748	83,129	90,165	3.4
VEGETABLES, TOTAL	78,448	83,125	80,600	84,957	91,698	3.5
Sweet Potatoes	18,677	25,924	17,797	22,889	27,532	1.0
Irish Potatoes	14,837	14,679	14,513	11,849	15,535	.6
Cucumbers	11,939	13,478	14,327	14,595	12,991	.5
Other Vegetables	32,995	29,044	33,963	35,624	35,640	1.4
FRUITS AND NUTS, TOTAL	23,764	27,049	29,791	32,610	41,455	1.6
Apples	13,310	18,117	17,049	23,275	29,472	1.1
Peaches	3,322	2,587	5,162	3,272	4,266	.2
Strawberries	2,385	1,820	2,035	2,024	1,848	.1
Grapes	1,016	842	984	1,003	1,088	*
Pecans	506	863	766	1,628	1,032	*
Other Fruits and Nuts	3,225	2,820	3,795	1,408	3,749	.1
ALL OTHER CROPS, TOTAL	76,652	81,725	79,713	102,616	136,435	5.2
Forest Products	48,000	50,000	45,000	60,000	80,000	3.1
Greenhouse and Nursery	27,000	30,000	33,000	41,000	55,000	2.1
Lespedeza Seed	209	197	86	76	97	*
Miscellaneous Crops	1,443	1,528	1,627	1,540	1,338	.1
LIVESTOCK, DAIRY, & POULTRY: TOTAL	972,971	917,796	1,000,909	1,068,134	1,067,827	40.7
MEAT ANIMALS, TOTAL	295,176	272,296	300,494	327,919	269,124	10.3
Hogs	203,961	205,317	243,764	254,786	206,159	7.9
Cattle and Calves	91,100	66,840	56,595	72,983	62,857	2.4
Sheep and Lambs	115	139	135	150	108	*
DAIRY PRODUCTS, TOTAL	118,923	139,115	149,392	161,912	174,386	6.7
Milk, Wholesale	115,830	135,845	145,950	158,470	171,130	6.5
Milk, Retail	3,093	3,270	3,442	3,442	3,256	.1
POULTRY AND EGGS, TOTAL	554,636	501,271	545,686	572,714	617,782	23.6
Broilers	281,500	245,896	286,147	296,173	322,476	12.3
Eggs	162,602	159,409	144,125	154,751	162,285	6.2
Turkeys	86,201	74,367	89,994	99,365	110,062	4.2
Chicken, Farm	16,563	13,784	17,070	13,600	13,549	.5
Other	7,770	7,815	8,350	8,825	9,410	.4
MISCELLANEOUS LIVESTOCK, TOTAL	4,236	5,114	5,337	5,589	6,535	.2
Honey	2,159	2,484	2,402	2,928	3,947	.2
Wool	46	35	28	40	38	*
Beeswax	64	112	89	59	135	*
Other	1,967	2,483	2,818	2,562	2,415	.1
TOTAL COMMODITIES SOLD	2,334,160	2,575,297	2,638,343	2,824,109	2,622,248	100.0

* *Less than 0.05 percent.*

FARM INCOME: Cash Receipts, By Months, 1975-77*

MONTHS	1975		1976		1977	
	Thousand Dollars	Monthly Percent	Thousand Dollars	Monthly Percent	Thousand Dollars	Monthly Percent
			ALL CROPS			
January	47,259	2.9	35,290	2.0	47,653	3.1
February	32,085	2.0	30,548	1.7	41,712	2.7
March	31,140	1.9	28,153	1.6	36,353	2.3
April	22,983	1.4	28,616	1.6	33,182	2.1
May	21,128	1.3	31,040	1.8	34,082	2.2
June	54,415	3.3	50,949	2.9	53,715	3.4
July	130,791	8.0	126,668	7.2	76,944	5.0
August	245,666	15.0	313,558	17.9	310,801	20.0
September	342,006	20.9	434,936	24.8	337,963	21.7
October	402,182	24.6	395,844	22.6	355,461	22.9
November	231,476	14.1	194,022	11.0	161,138	10.4
December	76,273	4.6	86,351	4.9	65,417	4.2
TOTAL	1,637,434	100.0	1,755,975	100.0	1,554,421	100.0
			LIVESTOCK, DAIRY & POULTRY PRODUCTS			
January	77,855	7.8	88,389	8.3	81,966	7.7
February	70,544	7.0	88,202	8.2	80,184	7.5
March	76,279	7.6	92,821	8.7	91,188	8.5
April	75,189	7.5	88,989	8.3	87,123	8.2
May	77,533	7.7	88,503	8.3	86,840	8.1
June	79,767	8.0	95,724	9.0	91,455	8.6
July	83,789	8.4	89,401	8.4	85,821	8.0
August	83,777	8.4	90,387	8.5	97,117	9.1
September	94,518	9.5	92,341	8.6	91,837	8.6
October	100,137	10.0	87,445	8.2	93,138	8.7
November	88,458	8.8	83,923	7.8	94,704	8.9
December	93,063	9.3	82,009	7.7	86,454	8.1
TOTAL	1,000,909	100.0	1,068,134	100.0	1,067,827	100.0
			TOTAL FARM MARKETINGS			
January	125,114	4.8	123,679	4.4	129,619	4.9
February	102,629	3.9	118,750	4.2	121,896	4.6
March	107,419	4.1	120,974	4.3	127,541	4.9
April	98,172	3.7	117,605	4.2	120,305	4.6
May	98,661	3.7	119,543	4.2	120,922	4.6
June	134,212	5.1	146,673	5.2	145,170	5.5
July	214,580	8.1	216,069	7.6	162,765	6.2
August	329,443	12.5	403,945	14.3	407,918	15.6
September	436,524	16.6	527,277	18.7	429,800	16.4
October	502,319	19.0	483,289	17.1	448,599	17.1
November	319,934	12.1	277,945	9.8	255,842	9.8
December	169,336	6.4	168,360	6.0	151,871	5.8
TOTAL	2,638,343	100.0	2,824,109	100.0	2,622,248	100.0

* *Does not include government payments.*

FARM INCOME: Realized Gross and Net Income Of Farm Operators From Farming, 1973-77

YEAR	REALIZED GROSS FARM INCOME					Farm Production Expenses	Realized Net Farm Income	Net Change In Farm Inventories	Total Net Farm Income
	Cash Receipts From Farm Marketings	Government Payments	Non-Money Income	Other Farm Income	Total				
				Million Dollars					
1973	2,334.2	35.9	221.7	18.5	2,610.3	1,528.4	1,081.8	54.9	1,136.7
1974	2,575.3	8.1	256.1	22.6	2,862.1	1,817.9	1,044.3	13.9	1,058.1
1975	2,638.3	8.9	287.6	28.3	2,963.2	1,926.8	1,036.5	- .9	1,035.5
1976	2,824.1	7.8	306.3	31.1	3,169.3	2,126.2	1,028.8	6.2	1,049.3
1977	2,622.2	21.6	296.4	35.7	2,976.0	2,186.6	789.3	8.3	797.7

NOTE: Details may not add to totals because of rounding.

FARM INCOME: Cash Receipts From Farm Marketings and Government Payments, By Counties, 1976-77 (Continued on opposite page)

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Total Cash Receipts		RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS				Government Payments	
			Crops		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			
	1976	1977	1976	1977	1976	1977	1976	1977
	Thousand Dollars							
Alleghany	9,489	10,059	1,446	1,444	7,969	8,529	74	86
Ashe	12,837	13,193	5,980	5,938	6,738	7,119	119	136
Avery	4,972	5,361	4,408	4,826	526	500	38	35
Caldwell	10,815	11,051	3,069	3,365	7,698	7,615	48	71
Surry	42,143	38,777	24,099	19,357	17,969	19,060	75	360
Watauga	6,896	7,478	2,925	3,431	3,913	3,990	58	57
Wilkes	87,151	99,082	5,798	6,956	81,229	91,933	124	193
Yadkin	29,687	29,971	18,011	16,343	11,618	13,182	58	446
N. MOUNTAIN	203,990	214,972	65,736	61,660	137,660	151,928	594	1,384
Buncombe	16,667	22,217	6,892	12,536	9,687	9,601	88	80
Burke	7,998	8,800	1,296	1,041	6,658	7,694	44	65
Cherokee	5,626	6,375	953	1,278	4,624	5,054	49	43
Clay	5,547	6,072	401	534	5,114	5,503	32	35
Graham	963	1,110	727	829	212	259	24	22
Haywood	9,792	10,462	4,878	5,395	4,851	5,005	63	62
Henderson	26,605	27,522	20,053	20,933	6,498	6,529	54	60
Jackson	2,680	2,924	2,050	2,353	584	526	46	45
McDowell	2,684	2,724	1,141	1,278	1,516	1,418	27	28
Macon	6,056	6,352	2,178	2,483	3,833	3,821	45	48
Madison	8,836	9,951	6,216	7,235	2,542	2,645	78	71
Mitchell	4,695	3,217	2,724	2,474	1,940	703	31	40
Polk	3,580	3,691	1,768	1,721	1,780	1,905	32	65
Rutherford	6,229	6,761	2,754	2,462	3,385	4,108	90	191
Swain	1,412	1,143	292	340	1,103	785	17	18
Transylvania	2,249	2,592	849	1,365	1,363	1,195	37	32
Yancey	5,097	5,542	3,084	3,467	1,961	2,021	52	54
W. MOUNTAIN	116,716	127,455	58,256	67,724	57,651	58,772	809	959
Alamance	28,770	27,243	12,739	11,353	15,952	15,610	79	280
Caswell	23,058	19,148	20,240	16,274	2,744	2,724	74	150
Durham	8,778	9,139	6,673	7,447	2,072	1,596	33	96
Forsyth	12,438	11,530	9,394	8,601	2,990	2,792	54	137
Franklin	38,766	32,357	28,699	22,524	9,944	9,365	123	468
Granville	36,305	29,517	30,627	23,259	5,599	5,987	79	271
Guilford	27,946	28,612	18,770	19,270	9,115	9,128	61	214
Orange	18,489	17,868	8,591	7,391	9,810	10,154	88	323
Person	25,717	22,113	22,798	18,804	2,861	3,155	58	154
Rockingham	31,269	29,993	26,867	25,469	4,339	4,383	63	141
Stokes	22,471	24,522	19,862	22,005	2,553	2,402	56	115
Vance	20,893	16,461	19,413	14,905	1,424	1,405	56	151
Warren	16,778	13,726	14,754	11,867	1,933	1,617	91	242
N. PIEDMONT	311,678	282,229	239,427	209,169	71,336	70,318	915	2,742
Alexander	21,874	23,934	3,839	4,650	17,992	19,189	43	95
Catawba	8,945	9,139	2,770	2,475	6,097	6,445	78	219
Chatham	59,889	61,466	7,693	6,849	52,127	54,313	69	304
Davidson	16,310	15,560	8,289	7,129	7,948	7,989	73	442
Davie	14,368	13,654	3,741	3,366	10,565	10,083	62	205
Iredell	30,994	33,489	4,646	4,438	26,241	28,698	107	353
Lee	11,488	11,351	9,466	9,377	1,995	1,881	27	93
Randolph	43,901	44,615	9,816	7,841	34,004	36,169	81	605
Rowan	18,789	18,818	5,081	4,353	13,619	14,096	89	369
Wake	62,960	55,874	48,018	40,688	14,814	14,652	128	534
C. PIEDMONT	289,518	287,900	103,359	91,166	185,402	193,515	757	3,219
Anson	20,322	21,021	6,173	5,077	14,044	15,677	105	267
Cabarrus	7,932	7,412	2,685	1,578	5,171	5,604	76	230
Cleveland	20,611	21,362	7,072	5,830	13,270	15,108	269	424
Gaston	6,523	6,485	1,721	1,464	4,756	4,793	46	228
Lincoln	14,176	14,319	3,194	2,522	10,914	11,584	68	213
Mecklenburg	7,049	7,624	2,978	3,551	4,028	3,955	43	118
Montgomery	13,801	15,111	4,610	5,744	9,083	9,120	108	247
Moore	49,360	49,716	10,675	10,968	38,612	38,621	69	127
Richmond	13,893	14,647	6,837	7,699	6,967	6,780	89	168
Stanly	27,455	24,730	7,865	5,124	19,533	19,381	57	225
Union	78,333	76,990	14,865	9,044	63,365	67,444	103	502
S. PIEDMONT	259,455	259,417	68,679	58,601	189,743	198,067	1,033	2,749

FARM INCOME: Cash Receipts From Farm Marketings and Government Payments, By Counties, 1976-77

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Total Cash Receipts		RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS				Government Payments	
			Crops		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			
	1976	1977	1976	1977	1976	1977	1976	1977
	Thousand Dollars							
Bertie	41,321	44,065	33,460	35,903	7,762	8,020	99	142
Camden	13,622	12,346	10,393	9,178	3,211	3,154	18	14
Chowan	16,659	14,369	12,325	10,757	4,296	3,556	38	56
Currituck	15,029	11,851	8,903	7,558	6,115	4,277	11	16
Dare	202	240	152	185	49	50	1	5
Edgecombe	52,617	46,480	45,954	40,557	6,556	5,491	107	432
Gates	17,133	16,232	10,378	9,828	6,719	6,353	36	51
Halifax	49,149	47,406	40,363	38,605	8,599	8,517	187	284
Hertford	23,090	20,111	20,101	17,075	2,929	2,930	60	106
Martin	45,180	40,402	38,379	34,492	6,730	5,795	71	115
Nash	66,365	56,763	54,137	46,056	11,963	10,112	265	595
Northampton	51,327	47,779	36,746	33,865	14,427	13,648	154	266
Pasquotank	19,561	17,744	17,200	15,803	2,344	1,922	17	19
Perquimans	19,273	16,902	13,260	11,561	5,991	5,317	22	24
Tyrrell	10,927	6,587	8,571	4,867	2,348	1,706	8	14
Washington	19,110	20,016	15,189	13,476	3,897	6,488	24	52
N. COASTAL	460,565	419,293	365,511	329,766	93,936	87,336	1,118	2,191
Beaufort	53,045	42,887	43,538	35,552	9,444	7,108	63	227
Carteret	5,720	6,667	4,744	5,753	959	893	17	21
Craven	33,110	27,756	27,302	23,378	5,742	4,183	66	195
Greene	50,175	37,352	38,791	26,626	11,315	10,317	69	409
Hyde	15,919	12,810	13,858	10,743	2,043	2,008	18	59
Johnston	90,570	87,046	69,485	68,187	20,587	18,128	498	731
Jones	18,530	14,648	16,371	12,892	2,126	1,622	33	134
Lenoir	60,422	51,598	45,696	35,362	14,646	15,630	80	606
Pamlico	10,295	10,068	9,002	8,882	1,255	1,157	38	29
Pitt	95,526	76,953	77,232	57,489	18,208	18,563	86	901
Wayne	91,760	84,691	53,723	43,074	37,928	40,853	109	764
Wilson	55,830	49,058	47,541	41,164	8,124	7,315	165	579
C. COASTAL	580,902	501,534	447,283	369,102	132,377	127,777	1,242	4,655
Bladen	34,335	29,100	26,571	21,809	7,680	7,023	84	268
Brunswick	15,947	16,728	12,736	13,967	3,181	2,714	30	47
Columbus	68,463	70,116	57,908	60,914	10,416	8,909	139	293
Cumberland	27,214	24,044	20,263	18,145	6,797	5,629	154	270
Duplin	140,235	134,823	50,228	47,473	89,892	87,069	115	281
Harnett	46,129	41,445	40,551	37,130	5,429	3,953	149	362
Hoke	16,465	15,103	11,188	9,933	5,220	5,021	57	149
New Hanover	1,840	1,986	1,370	1,529	467	455	3	2
Onslow	19,831	18,522	16,188	15,395	3,605	3,040	38	87
Pender	22,069	21,954	13,989	14,364	8,045	7,506	35	84
Robeson	91,752	68,771	79,640	60,613	11,943	7,182	169	976
Sampson	108,823	95,671	66,274	57,282	42,327	37,956	222	433
Scotland	15,966	12,830	10,818	8,679	5,027	3,657	121	494
S. COASTAL	609,069	551,093	407,724	367,233	200,029	180,114	1,316	3,746
STATE TOTAL	2,831,893	2,643,893	1,755,975	1,554,421	1,068,134	1,067,827	7,784	21,645

FARM INCOME: Cash Receipts From Farming and Value of Home Consumption, 1973-77

YEAR	CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARMING					VALUE OF HOME CONSUMPTION			Cash Receipts and Value Of Home Consumption
	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry	Crops	Cash Receipts From Farm Marketings	Government Payments	Total Cash Receipts	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry	Crops	Total	
	Thousand Dollars								
1973	972,971	1,361,189	2,334,160	35,866	2,370,026	39,753	31,553	71,306	2,441,332
1974	917,796	1,657,501	2,575,297	8,125	2,583,422	42,024	38,562	80,586	2,664,008
1975	1,000,909	1,637,434	2,638,343	8,879	2,647,222	44,130	39,027	83,157	2,730,379
1976	1,068,134	1,755,975	2,824,109	7,784	2,831,893	43,277	41,651	84,928	2,916,821
1977	1,067,827	1,554,421	2,622,248	21,645	2,643,893	36,849	39,816	76,665	2,720,558

FARM INCOME: Cash Receipts From Farm Marketings and Government Payments, By States, 1977

STATE	RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS						Government Payments		Total Cash Receipts	
	Crops		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		Total					
	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank
	Receipts In Thousand Dollars									
Alabama.....	569,018	28	927,412	20	1,496,430	26	29,662	19	1,526,092	26
Alaska.....	7,099	50	4,373	50	11,472	50	127	49	11,599	50
Arizona.....	689,670	24	508,729	29	1,198,399	29	4,713	38	1,203 112	30
Arkansas.....	1,294,356	12	1,174,453	15	2,468,809	14	53,527	12	2,522,336	14
California.....	6,455,902	1	2,913,981	3	9,369,883	1	75,157	8	9,445,040	1
Colorado.....	561,179	29	1,498,702	10	2,059,881	16	65,404	9	2,125,285	16
Connecticut....	104,096	41	129,641	42	233,737	44	379	48	234,116	44
Delaware.....	80,738	43	179,944	41	260,682	43	419	47	261,101	43
Florida.....	1,841,728	7	745,703	23	2,587,431	13	20,750	28	2,608,181	12
Georgia.....	960,290	18	1,233,830	13	2,194,120	15	51,166	14	2,245,286	15
Hawaii.....	259,748	35	64,940	47	324,688	41	24,693	22	349,381	41
Idaho.....	694,013	23	475,827	32	1,169,840	30	42,859	16	1,212,699	29
Illinois.....	3,919,833	2	1,872,553	8	5,792,386	4	32,082	18	5,824,468	4
Indiana.....	1,973,597	6	1,265,875	12	3,239,472	8	21,821	25	3,261,293	8
Iowa.....	2,764,855	4	4,300,029	1	7,064,884	2	28,901	20	7,093,785	2
Kansas.....	1,624,850	10	2,224,033	7	3,848,883	7	236,689	1	4,085.572	6
Kentucky.....	1,064,616	15	741,185	24	1,805,801	20	7,192	37	1,812,993	20
Louisiana.....	851,024	20	405,994	34	1,257,018	28	44,390	15	1,301,408	28
Maine.....	154,754	39	263,074	39	417,828	38	2,099	42	419,927	38
Maryland.....	229,185	37	428,282	33	657,467	36	3,398	40	660,865	36
Massachusetts..	108,759	40	105,184	44	213,943	45	575	46	214,518	45
Michigan.....	983,013	17	840,643	21	1,823,656	19	21,195	27	1,844,851	19
Minnesota.....	2,083,735	5	2,238,799	6	4,322,534	5	82,848	7	4,405,382	5
Mississippi....	918,342	19	795,394	22	1,713,736	22	23,853	23	1,737,589	22
Missouri.....	1,193,166	14	1,677,071	9	2,870,237	10	51,183	13	2,921,420	10
Montana.....	443,364	34	513,788	28	957,152	33	61,443	10	1,018,595	33
Nebraska.....	1,723,374	8	2,256,296	5	3,979,670	6	92,939	5	4,072,609	7
Nevada.....	45,771	45	101,353	45	147,124	47	2,590	41	149,714	47
New Hampshire..	23,386	47	55,117	48	78,503	48	621	45	79,124	48
New Jersey.....	252,054	36	99,012	46	351,066	40	1,116	44	352,182	40
New Mexico.....	221,455	38	569,334	26	790,789	34	15,112	32	805,901	34
New York.....	524,815	30	1,200,306	14	1,725,123	21	8,576	35	1,733,699	23
NORTH CAROLINA.	1,554,421	11	1,067,827	19	2,622,248	12	21,645	26	2,643,893	13
North Dakota...	1,055,999	16	483,311	31	1,539,310	25	122,603	3	1,661,913	25
Ohio.....	1,636,905	9	1,156,710	17	2,793,615	11	33,102	17	2,826,717	11
Oklahoma.....	766,100	21	1,159,715	16	1,925,815	17	84,132	6	2,009,947	17
Oregon.....	677,877	25	356,328	36	1,034,205	31	23,532	24	1,057,737	31
Pennsylvania...	600,268	26	1,302,955	11	1,903,223	18	7,476	36	1,910,699	18
Rhode Island...	15,083	49	11,241	49	26,324	49	63	50	26,387	49
South Carolina.	506,631	31	277,238	37	783,869	35	15,712	31	799,581	35
South Dakota...	493,140	32	1,117,067	18	1,610,207	24	94,858	4	1,705,065	24
Tennessee.....	694,347	22	676,016	25	1,370,363	27	12,370	33	1,382,733	27
Texas.....	3,385,038	3	3,524,708	2	6,909,746	3	157,993	2	7,067,739	3
Utah.....	96,232	42	267,230	38	363,462	39	18,565	29	382,027	39
Vermont.....	21,576	48	245,166	40	266,742	42	2,026	43	268,768	42
Virginia.....	444,516	33	559,840	27	1,004,356	32	17,108	30	1,021,464	32
Washington.....	1,199,977	13	507,711	30	1,707,688	23	58,844	11	1,766,532	21
West Virginia..	42,441	46	105,474	43	147,915	46	4,507	39	152,422	46
Wisconsin.....	595,940	27	2,555,902	4	3,151,842	9	26,338	21	3,178,180	9
Wyoming.....	72,368	44	379,795	35	452,163	37	10,526	34	462,689	37
UNITED STATES..	48,480,644	-	47,565,093	-	96,045,737	-	1,818,879	-	97,864,616	-

Realized Gross and Net Income Per Farm, 1969-77, North Carolina and United States 1/

YEAR	NORTH CAROLINA		UNITED STATES	
	Realized Gross Income Per Farm	Realized Net Income Per Farm	Realized Gross Income Per Farm	Realized Net Income Per Farm
	Dollars			
1969	10,698	3,612	18,770	4,731
1970	11,559	3,761	19,861	4,797
1971	11,980	3,707	20,883	4,561
1972	13,961	5,062	24,517	6,226
1973	20,079	8,322	33,831	10,607
1974	23,082	8,422	35,761	9,925
1975	24,489	8,566	35,034	7,617
1976	26,513	8,646	38,016	7,712
1977	25,436	6,746	39,948	7,439

1/ Excludes changes in inventories and represents income of farm operators.

FARM REAL ESTATE: Farm Real Estate Values and Taxes, 1975-79

YEAR	Farm Real Estate Value Per Acre February 1	TAXES LEVIED ON FARM REAL ESTATE				
		Total	Per Acre	Per $100 Of Full Value	As Percent Of	
					Net Farm Income	Gross Farm Income
	Dollars	Mil. Dols.	Dollars		Percent	
1975 1/	590	32.9	2.43	.40	2.9	1.1
1976	637	36.0	2.68	.41	2.8	1.1
1977	675	36.4	2.88	.44	4.0	1.2
1978	694	-	-	-	-	-
1979	819	-	-	-	-	-

1/ March 1.

EXPORTS: Value Of Agricultural Export Shares For North Carolina, Fiscal Years, 1975-78

YEAR	Wheat and Products 1/	Feed Grains and Products 2/	Cotton, Including Linters	Soybeans and Products	Peanuts and Oil 3/	Cottonseed Oil	Tobacco, Unmanufactured	Fruits and Preparations
	Million Dollars							
1975	28.9	124.1	12.2	101.6	16.2	2.1	455.5	1.9
1976	18.9	105.8	5.1	87.4	8.6	.7	481.0	2.4
1977	11.2	130.5	10.5	107.9	24.3	1.1	545.0	2.9
1978	12.9	70.5	6.3	105.7	34.6	.7	564.4	3.8

YEAR	Nuts and Preparations	Vegetables and Preparations	Meats and Products	Hides and Skins	Poultry Products	Lard and Tallow	Other	All Agricultural Commodities
	Million Dollars							
1975	.8	2.5	7.7	1.4	9.8	3.7	62.0	830.4
1976	.4	4.9	13.0	2.0	19.1	3.2	65.4	817.9
1977	2.2	4.2	13.0	2.5	25.9	4.0	67.2	952.4
1978	2.3	3.7	11.5	3.1	28.8	3.8	63.7	915.8

1/ Data prior to 1977 included wheat and flour only.
2/ Data prior to 1977 included feed grains only.
3/ Data prior to 1977 included peanuts only.

FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES, 1972-77

YEAR	CURRENT FARM OPERATING EXPENSES							Total Current Farm Operating Expenses	Depreciation and Other Consumption Of Farm Capital 5/	Taxes On Farm Property	Interest On Farm Mortgage Debt	Net Rent To Nonfarm Landlords	Total Production Expenses
	Feed	Livestock	Seed 1/	Fertilizer and Lime	Repairs & Operation Of Capital Items 2/	Hired Labor 3/	Miscellaneous 4/						
	Million Dollars												
1972	231.6	43.4	25.2	105.5	155.0	126.4	175.6	862.7	221.4	30.7	36.2	68.3	1219.4
1973	389.3	47.7	32.3	134.9	169.9	149.0	189.7	1112.7	251.2	33.3	42.9	87.8	1528.4
1974	450.0	50.0	38.7	198.6	213.7	171.2	221.9	1344.1	289.1	38.0	54.7	91.9	1817.9
1975	387.5	53.3	44.5	232.8	253.3	168.2	261.5	1401.1	343.3	41.1	64.9	76.3	1926.8
1976	432.1	58.7	47.9	213.4	282.0	229.2	296.3	1559.5	374.6	44.6	74.7	72.8	2126.2
1977	419.6	64.2	53.9	207.6	301.5	237.5	318.4	1602.6	385.4	47.1	85.6	66.0	2186.6

1/ Includes bulbs, plants and trees. 2/ Repairs and maintenance of buildings, repairs and operation of motor vehicles and other machinery, and petroleum fuel and oil used in the farm business. 3/ Includes cash wages, perquisites and (1951 to date) Social Security taxes paid by employers. 4/ Includes binding, cotton ginning, Federal Crop Insurance, containers, dairy supplies, electricity, greenhouse and nursery grazing fees, harness and saddlery, net insurance premiums (fire, wind and crop hail), irrigation, livestock marketing service (excl. feed and transportation), milk hauling, miscellaneous hardware (incl. blacksmithing), machine, hire and custom work, miscellaneous livestock and poultry supplies, pesticides, small hand tools, short term interest, telephones, vet. services, medicines and other miscellaneous. 5/ Includes depreciation and accidental damage to farm buildings and depreciation of motor vehicles and other farm machinery and equipment.

FARMS: Numbers, Land In Farms, Average Size, 1975-79 1/

YEAR	NORTH CAROLINA			UNITED STATES		
	Number Of Farms	Land In Farms	Average Size Of Farm	Number Of Farms	Land In Farms	Average Size Of Farm
	Thous.	Thous. Acres	Acres	Thous.	Thous. Acres	Acres
	OLD DEFINITION 1/					
1975	121	13,400	111	2,767	1,081,448	391
1976	119	13,300	112	2,738	1,078,263	394
1977	117	13,200	113	2,706	1,075,003	397
1978	115	13,100	114	2,672	1,072,053	401
1979	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
	NEW DEFINITION 3/					
1975	105	12,500	119	2,491	1,062,723	427
1976	103	12,400	120	2,454	1,059,148	432
1977	101	12,400	123	2,409	1,054,798	438
1978	100	12,400	124	2,370	1,052,018	444
1979	99	12,400	125	2,300	1,048,768	450

1/ Places of 10 or more acres that had annual sales of agricultural products of $50 or more and places of less than 10 acres that had annual sales of $250 or more.
2/ Series discontinued.
3/ Places with annual sales of agricultural products of $1,000 or more. Series initiated with 1975.

NUMBER OF OPERATIONS WITH LIVESTOCK DURING YEAR, BY SPECIES, 1975-78

YEAR	Hogs	Cattle	Milk Cows	Sheep
1975	42,000	53,000	11,000	500
1976	40,000	54,000	11,000	500
1977	40,000	51,000	10,000	400
1978	40,000	51,000	9,800	400

AGRICULTURE: How North Carolina Ranks Among States

1st	flue-cured tobacco production
1st	total tobacco production
1st	sweet potato production
2nd	cucumbers for pickles (production)
3rd	turkey production
3rd	peanut production
4th	commercial broiler production
6th	number of farms (in 1979)
7th	number of hogs on farms (12-1-78)
7th	egg production
7th	number of layers
7th	hog production
7th	peach production
8th	apple production
11th	cash farm income from crops
13th	total cash income from farm marketings
13th	corn production
13th	sorghum grain production
14th	soybean production
15th	oat production
18th	Irish potato production
19th	cash farm income from livestock
20th	number of milk cows on farms
21th	milk production
22nd	winter wheat production
35th	number of all cattle on farms

NOTE: Production based on 1978 data. Income based on 1977. Inventory based on January 1, 1979 unless noted otherwise.

FARM WORKERS: Number On Farms During Quarterly Survey Weeks, 1976-78 1/

Month Of Survey Week	Family Workers			Hired Workers			Total Workers		
	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978
	Thousands								
January	75	69	53	19	23	16	94	92	69
April	121	93	79	55	49	38	176	142	117
July	142	126	129	200	175	141	342	301	270
October	101	80	79	38	41	43	139	121	122
Annual Average	110	92	85	78	72	60	188	164	145

FARM WORK: Hours Per Worker During Quarterly Survey Weeks, 1976-78 1/

Month Of Survey Week	Farm Operators			Other Unpaid Family Workers			All Family Workers			Hired Workers		
	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978
	Hours Worked											
January	19.0	17.0	17.9	31.9	35.2	32.9	21.0	18.8	19.4	27.7	30.6	26.5
April	27.0	32.7	28.3	31.2	26.9	31.1	28.1	31.2	28.8	20.3	28.2	26.2
July	30.4	32.8	29.7	35.1	37.9	39.1	32.0	34.6	32.4	18.6	19.6	26.7
October	27.1	25.9	31.0	32.1	33.0	40.4	28.3	27.6	33.2	31.0	22.9	25.1

FARM WAGES: Rates Per Hour During Quarterly Survey Weeks, 1976-78 1/

Month Of Survey Week	Method Of Pay				Type Of Worker			
	Other Than Piece-Rate	By The Hour Only	By Cash Wages Only	By The Hour Receiving Cash Wages Only	Field and Livestock	Packing-House	Machine Operator	All Hired Farm Workers
	Dollars Per Hour							
1976								
January	2.32	2.24	2.55	2.33	2.16	2/	2.72	2.37
April	2.23	2.13	2.25	2.17	2.08	2/	2.32	2.23
July	2.21	2.19	2.20	2.17	2.18	2.09	2.29	2.21
October	2.46	2.45	2.51	2.48	2.34	2.20	2.61	2.47
Annual Average	2/	2/	2/	2.20	2.18	2/	2/	2.25
1977								
January	2.85	2.55	2.96	2.69	2.65	2/	3.10	2.85
April	2.53	2.30	2.51	2.37	2.16	2/	2.36	2.53
July	2.27	2.27	2.34	2.37	2.23	2.25	2.43	2.30
October	2.73	2.61	2.74	2.55	2.54	2.38	2.59	2.74
Annual Average	2/	2/	2/	2.42	2.30	2/	2/	2.47
1978								
January	3.02	2.77	3.28	2.82	2.74	2.61	3.22	3.03
April	2.61	2.61	2.78	2.71	2.50	2/	2.50	2.61
July	2.48	2.57	2.62	2.75	2/	2.42	2.68	2.52
October	2.75	2.82	2.80	2.88	2/	2.50	2.90	2.75
Annual Average	2/	2/	2/	2.77	2.52	2/	2/	2.61

1/ Estimates based upon the weeks which include the 12th of January, April, July and October. 2/ Not published.

LAND UTILIZATION: Land Uses, By Counties, 1977 (Continued On Opposite Page)

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Total Land In Tracts Of Ten Or More Acres	Non-Farm Land	Land In Farms	CROPLAND EXCLUDING PASTURE		PASTURE LAND		All Other Land In Farms
				Harvested Cropland	Idle Cropland	Improved Pasture	Unimproved Open Pasture	Woods, Waste, Homesites, Etc.
	Acres							
Alleghany	137,434	10,973	126,461	11,724	7,189	22,472	42,645	42,431
Ashe	261,067	53,528	207,539	17,202	6,275	25,580	57,786	100,696
Avery	113,024	60,052	52,972	2,473	1,668	1,946	9,870	37,015
Caldwell 1/	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Surry	318,534	76,302	242,232	46,574	21,623	20,427	16,499	137,109
Watauga	169,727	40,085	129,642	9,147	3,836	8,366	35,478	72,815
Wilkes	426,845	184,582	242,263	30,496	7,222	25,732	19,674	159,139
Yadkin	196,671	12,699	183,972	50,664	15,009	20,334	7,543	90,422
N. MOUNTAIN	1,623,302	438,221	1,185,081	168,280	62,822	124,857	189,495	639,627
Buncombe 2/	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burke	228,525	134,509	94,016	6,794	11,196	8,414	4,954	62,658
Cherokee	183,033	86,597	96,436	7,393	1,972	3,737	6,636	76,698
Clay	67,193	14,680	52,513	3,299	2,230	9,077	5,756	32,151
Graham	68,889	36,402	32,487	1,976	816	2,529	3,775	23,391
Haywood	182,935	39,158	143,777	9,860	1,452	15,225	41,913	75,327
Henderson	185,372	63,641	121,731	21,153	8,735	14,543	4,039	73,261
Jackson	240,673	148,378	92,295	2,685	3,645	8,394	4,895	72,676
McDowell	194,636	86,004	108,632	10,783	2,577	6,708	10,514	78,050
Macon	143,789	63,092	80,697	7,853	2,647	15,963	2,180	52,054
Madison	230,433	13,430	217,003	13,509	6,197	10,495	61,172	125,630
Mitchell	111,636	38,584	73,052	3,360	5,838	7,806	7,754	48,294
Polk	128,887	60,616	68,271	6,081	4,489	8,565	3,586	45,550
Rutherford	333,862	123,532	210,330	19,071	16,924	26,198	10,108	138,029
Swain	66,289	24,807	41,482	1,937	6,896	3,240	1,366	28,043
Transylvania	129,018	87,484	41,534	4,155	1,046	3,253	1,391	31,689
Yancey	166,784	30,906	135,878	7,465	404	8,438	32,816	86,755
W. MOUNTAIN	2,661,954	1,051,820	1,610,134	127,374	77,064	152,585	202,855	1,050,256
Alamance	231,624	30,532	201,092	44,553	18,556	18,496	12,556	106,931
Caswell	245,529	11,346	234,183	31,995	27,418	13,157	5,201	156,412
Durham	116,177	33,081	83,096	12,958	6,362	5,536	6,342	51,898
Forsyth 6/	151,599	30,033	121,566	21,905	15,764	12,106	8,977	62,814
Franklin	298,095	30,830	267,265	50,065	30,767	9,264	6,068	171,101
Granville	317,656	48,782	268,874	41,263	15,604	16,853	8,197	186,957
Guilford 6/	304,163	50,289	253,874	48,260	25,510	26,765	15,000	138,339
Orange	212,606	55,728	156,878	28,868	9,113	17,406	3,876	97,615
Person 2/	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rockingham	311,094	25,962	285,132	42,486	24,489	12,944	8,105	197,108
Stokes	264,312	24,792	239,520	29,786	24,384	11,204	13,563	160,583
Vance	135,047	15,823	119,224	23,449	11,780	5,469	3,329	75,197
Warren	255,172	63,011	192,161	29,579	9,757	10,532	5,037	137,256
N. PIEDMONT	2,843,074	420,209	2,422,865	405,167	219,504	159,732	96,251	1,542,211
Alexander	148,468	58,680	89,788	11,041	5,963	18,643	4,379	49,762
Catawba 6/	215,723	53,868	161,855	37,735	15,588	28,046	8,579	71,907
Chatham 6/	382,710	132,926	249,784	30,569	12,752	34,991	14,342	157,130
Davidson 6/	290,187	64,213	225,974	39,146	27,360	26,756	11,389	121,323
Davie 6/	163,733	26,244	137,489	27,170	11,496	26,015	9,518	63,290
Iredell	312,661	34,000	278,661	61,375	4,896	34,615	22,158	155,617
Lee	146,331	41,385	104,946	15,317	9,478	5,747	2,440	71,964
Randolph	436,855	93,433	343,422	55,653	24,929	35,000	28,761	199,079
Rowan 6/	324,528	56,927	267,601	66,709	25,488	26,860	30,992	117,552
Wake 6/	395,485	88,772	306,713	70,985	28,916	14,403	10,909	181,500
C. PIEDMONT	2,816,681	650,448	2,166,233	415,700	168,866	251,076	143,467	1,189,124
Anson	313,816	127,894	185,922	45,352	7,747	18,694	2,546	111,583
Cabarrus	188,713	33,097	155,616	33,218	20,856	15,858	18,997	66,687
Cleveland	254,813	42,370	212,443	54,210	12,997	46,120	7,766	91,350
Gaston 6/	181,400	42,867	138,533	24,444	14,931	16,990	9,826	72,342
Lincoln	164,978	17,429	147,549	32,427	23,779	18,960	16,628	55,755
Mecklenburg 6/	233,363	101,973	131,390	15,701	14,751	12,963	17,630	70,345
Montgomery	260,394	138,669	121,725	15,281	6,804	5,689	1,703	92,248
Moore	386,504	158,774	227,730	22,268	25,454	8,964	3,974	167,070
Richmond	230,381	105,244	125,137	26,579	10,126	4,040	2,995	81,397
Stanly	211,316	29,464	181,852	56,312	11,076	25,020	10,924	78,520
Union	374,424	52,526	321,898	117,123	10,173	18,455	22,509	153,638
S. PIEDMONT	2,800,102	850,307	1,949,795	442,915	158,694	191,753	115,498	1,040,935

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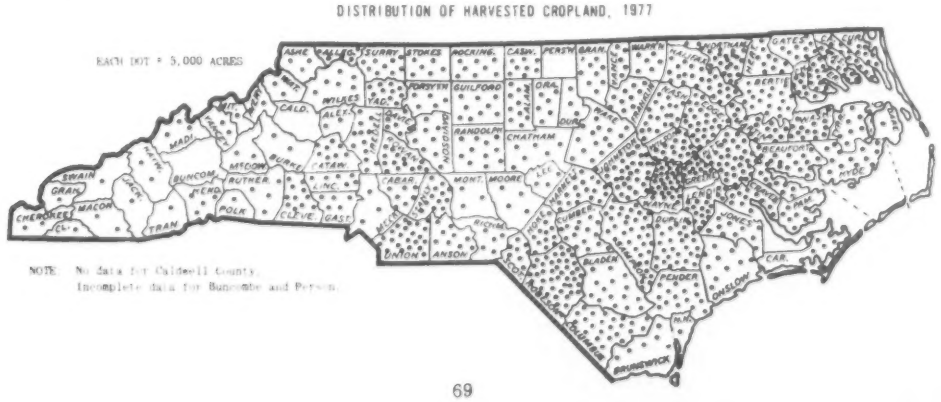
				Harvested Cropland	Idle Cropland	Improved Pasture	Unimproved Open Pasture	Woods, Waste, Homesites, Etc.
	Acres							
Bertie	433,321	170,175	263,146	87,860	1,957	2,461	827	170,041
Camden	137,993	58,284	79,709	43,924	127	438	215	35,005
Chowan	105,375	24,573	80,802	39,674	248	779	112	39,989
Currituck	138,238	49,254	88,984	37,463	1,082	131	177	50,131
Dare	210,000	208,512	1,488	394	-	100	175	819
Edgecombe	305,801	21,140	284,661	123,100	3,054	6,711	4,789	147,007
Gates	195,186	76,993	118,193	41,615	398	1,229	693	74,258
Halifax	429,476	87,043	342,433	119,160	7,809	8,285	4,567	202,612
Hertford	208,781	41,699	167,082	51,028	1,415	1,082	637	112,920
Martin	272,508	71,474	201,034	80,765	1,203	3,049	17,387	98,630
Nash	318,230	26,452	291,778	102,529	10,646	6,019	3,439	169,145
Northampton	328,433	44,370	284,063	107,045	4,163	2,290	3,622	166,943
Pasquotank	130,464	43,360	87,104	54,265	416	840	1,294	30,289
Perquimans	149,395	37,736	111,659	61,447	114	749	335	49,014
Tyrrell	244,954	160,440	84,514	34,694	4,058	845	472	44,445
Washington	194,698	58,585	136,113	76,716	2,621	2,807	1,216	52,753
N. COASTAL	3,802,853	1,180,090	2,622,763	1,061,679	39,311	37,815	39,957	1,444,001
Beaufort	489,621	204,734	284,887	121,695	3,649	3,784	1,517	154,242
Carteret 6/	281,452	196,829	84,623	17,916	2,714	3,452	1,370	59,171
Craven	342,643	139,440	203,203	59,996	9,598	1,339	1,210	131,060
Greene	162,399	5,576	156,823	74,023	3,557	1,840	296	77,107
Hyde	324,817	164,580	160,237	65,584	809	2,044	1,309	90,491
Johnston 6/	461,031	21,308	439,723	164,453	17,600	12,424	10,813	234,433
Jones	260,901	123,288	137,613	47,869	2,804	1,286	854	84,800
Lenoir	232,558	26,756	205,802	90,483	7,032	2,272	1,353	104,662
Pamlico 6/	182,214	108,037	74,177	33,449	1,061	385	526	38,756
Pitt 6/	379,506	26,248	353,258	165,962	6,812	3,658	4,028	172,798
Wayne 6/	338,704	21,386	317,318	158,982	14,125	5,069	4,814	134,328
Wilson	213,056	14,725	198,331	88,426	6,210	1,852	1,192	100,621
C. COASTAL	3,668,902	1,052,907	2,615,995	1,088,836	76,001	39,405	29,282	1,382,469
Bladen	501,303	216,721	284,582	78,053	7,033	5,167	1,612	192,717
Brunswick 6/	421,296	292,802	128,494	31,522	5,933	1,518	1,667	87,854
Columbus	559,457	239,018	320,439	116,398	11,345	5,724	10,487	176,485
Cumberland 6/	283,402	68,932	214,470	72,621	9,544	4,121	3,687	124,497
Duplin	483,207	96,609	386,598	143,989	5,458	4,318	1,981	230,852
Harnett	347,361	73,996	273,365	88,062	13,491	8,591	5,320	157,901
Hoke 6/	153,879	14,997	138,882	58,029	5,322	993	855	73,683
New Hanover	84,620	63,378	21,242	3,567	763	440	656	15,816
Onslow	371,526	223,309	148,217	46,916	4,671	3,538	1,912	91,180
Pender	447,303	229,357	217,946	40,483	19,243	2,081	1,102	155,037
Robeson	549,842	91,874	457,968	215,952	10,019	3,720	1,968	226,309
Sampson	562,332	102,185	460,147	178,175	10,385	6,096	3,966	261,525
Scotland	158,862	22,317	136,545	39,133	15,272	3,248	3,366	75,526
S. COASTAL	4,924,390	1,735,495	3,188,895	1,112,900	118,479	49,555	38,579	1,869,382
STATE TOTAL 1977 3/	25,141,258	7,379,497	17,761,761	4,822,853	918,741	1,006,778	855,384	10,158,005
STATE TOTAL 1976 4/	25,646,113	7,520,688	18,125,425	4,767,490	958,012	1,887,472	5/	10,512,451

1/ No Census. 2/ Incomplete data. 3/ Totals exclude Caldwell, Buncombe and Person Counties. 4/ Revised totals exclude Caldwell County. 5/ Included in improved pasture. 6/ Data collected from landowners through a probability sample survey using a scientifically selected sample.

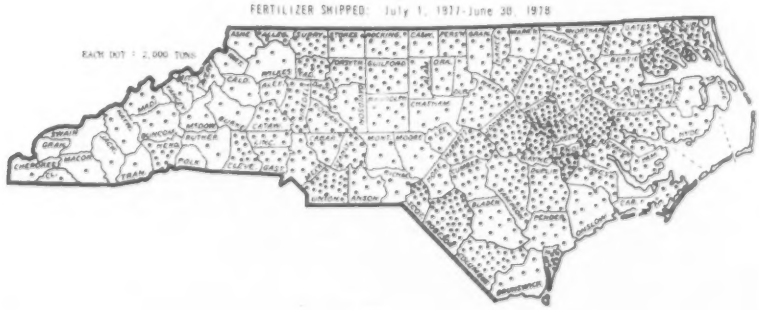
DISTRIBUTION OF HARVESTED CROPLAND, 1977



FERTILIZER TONNAGE REPORT: Mixed Fertilizer and Fertilizer Materials Shipped To Counties, During Fiscal Year 1978

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	July 1, 1977 - June 30, 1978			COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	July 1, 1977 - June 30, 1978		
	Mixed Fertilizer	Fertilizer Materials	Total		Mixed Fertilizer	Fertilizer Materials	Total
	Tons				Tons		
Alleghany	4,810	605	5,415	Anson	8,477	3,380	11,857
Ashe	4,004	664	4,668	Cabarrus	8,299	3,469	11,768
Avery	1,340	115	1,455	Cleveland	16,717	4,787	21,504
Caldwell	3,693	1,013	4,706	Gaston	7,263	2,550	9,813
Surry	18,977	5,208	24,185	Lincoln	7,178	2,364	9,542
Watauga	2,533	382	2,915	Mecklenburg	12,768	2,632	15,400
Wilkes	5,419	897	6,316	Montgomery	5,175	1,852	7,027
Yadkin	16,394	5,120	21,514	Moore	7,506	2,697	10,203
				Richmond	3,622	2,107	5,729
N. MOUNTAIN	57,170	14,004	71,174	Stanly	15,611	5,794	21,405
				Union	32,897	8,816	41,713
Buncombe	7,831	1,826	9,657	S. PIEDMONT	125,513	40,448	165,961
Burke	3,533	958	4,491				
Cherokee	1,878	384	2,262	Bertie	17,234	7,946	25,180
Clay	1,423	829	2,252	Camden	12,410	5,371	17,781
Graham	828	127	955	Chowan	15,804	5,957	21,761
Haywood	4,398	1,248	5,646	Currituck	12,593	6,522	19,115
Henderson	11,940	4,401	16,341	Dare	172	20	192
Jackson	1,577	192	1,769	Edgecombe	25,952	12,800	38,752
McDowell	3,063	725	3,788	Gates	11,471	4,150	15,621
Macon	1,509	289	1,798	Halifax	21,677	10,520	32,197
Madison	5,269	1,618	6,887	Hertford	11,349	4,840	16,189
Mitchell	1,281	239	1,520	Martin	17,404	9,541	26,945
Polk	422	89	511	Nash	26,802	11,627	38,429
Rutherford	3,938	898	4,836	Northampton	15,774	5,970	21,744
Swain	537	109	646	Pasquotank	28,709	9,408	38,117
Transylvania	1,531	328	1,859	Perquimans	19,756	6,455	26,211
Yancey	1,270	276	1,546	Tyrrell	2,347	1,424	3,771
				Washington	20,818	6,699	27,517
W. MOUNTAIN	52,228	14,536	66,764				
				N. COASTAL	260,272	109,250	369,522
Alamance	13,484	4,986	18,470				
Caswell	4,529	1,183	5,712	Beaufort	29,960	13,031	42,991
Durham	6,667	4,123	10,790	Carteret	7,101	3,707	10,808
Forsyth	13,505	2,614	16,119	Craven	13,283	5,316	18,599
Franklin	16,512	5,890	22,402	Greene	9,528	6,285	15,813
Granville	10,331	4,023	14,354	Hyde	7,010	3,642	10,652
Guilford	17,784	4,076	21,860	Johnston	40,513	17,549	58,062
Orange	6,984	3,303	10,287	Jones	10,388	6,804	17,192
Person	8,781	4,202	12,983	Lenoir	33,699	17,272	50,971
Rockingham	14,224	4,151	18,375	Pamlico	7,051	3,003	10,054
Stokes	11,432	2,092	13,524	Pitt	52,461	24,217	76,678
Vance	8,936	1,968	10,904	Wayne	29,133	23,002	52,135
Warren	6,005	1,685	7,690	Wilson	21,036	15,601	36,637
N. PIEDMONT	139,174	44,296	183,470	C. COASTAL	261,163	139,429	400,592
Alexander	2,943	1,394	4,337	Bladen	11,401	7,756	19,157
Catawba	12,212	3,403	15,615	Brunswick	7,136	3,653	10,789
Chatham	6,168	2,437	8,605	Columbus	38,553	14,071	52,624
Davidson	10,975	3,077	14,052	Cumberland	10,669	6,486	17,155
Davie	5,885	2,081	7,966	Duplin	25,121	14,834	39,955
Iredell	21,730	6,940	28,670	Harnett	27,276	7,398	34,674
Lee	6,007	1,910	7,917	Hoke	6,977	2,394	9,371
Randolph	13,707	4,734	18,441	New Hanover	7,196	9,608	16,804
Rowan	11,419	5,454	16,873	Onslow	11,400	4,380	15,780
Wake	28,780	9,669	38,449	Pender	12,488	5,337	17,825
				Robeson	51,220	26,379	77,599
C. PIEDMONT	119,826	41,099	160,925	Sampson	33,564	18,370	51,934
				Scotland	11,287	9,211	20,498
				S. COASTAL	254,288	129,877	384,165
				STATE TOTAL	1,269,634	532,939	1,802,573

NOTE: Data show tons received in each county by retailers and consumers from manufacturers. Tons credited to a county do not necessarily equal the amount it actually consumed. Data exclude lime and landplaster.



FERTILIZER TONNAGE REPORT: Mixed Fertilizer and Fertilizer Materials Shipped By Grade and By Type, Fiscal Year 1978

MIXED FERTILIZER				FERTILIZER MATERIALS *			
Grade	Total Tons	Grade	Total Tons	Type Of Material	Total Tons	Type Of Material	Total Tons
0-9-27	12,336	6-18-36	25,776	Anhydrous Ammonia	13,172	Cal. Metaphosphate	1,398
2-6-12	54,390	8-0-24	16,282	Ammonium Nitrate	54,803	Superphosphate	9,270
3-9-9	150,675	8-8-8	52,761	Ammonium Sulfate	1,403	Triple Superphosphate	5,767
3-9-18	70,607	8-24-24	16,850	Calcium Nitrate	4,364	Other Phosphate	413
4-8-12	67,297	10-10-10	180,255	Total Nitrogen Solutions	341,983	Muriate of Potash	13,102
4-8-24	18,820	10-10-20	23,471	30%	340,045	Pot.-Mg. Sulphate	1,045
5-10-10	109,298	10-20-20	59,278	All Other	1,938	Nitrate of Soda Potash	14,454
5-10-15	10,834	12-6-6	13,915	Nitrate of Soda	32,295	Other Potassium	1,794
5-10-30	50,984	17-17-17	14,803	Urea Compound	2,275	Dried Manure	2,695
5-15-30	60,678	Other	199,284	Other Nitrogen	15,401	Other Materials	1,877
6-12-18	61,040	STATE TOTAL	1,269,634	Ammonium Phosphate	15,428	STATE TOTAL	532,939

* *Excludes lime and land plaster.*

FLOWERS: Production and Wholesale Value, 1976-78

CROP	UNIT	1976		1977		1978	
		Number Sold	Wholesale Value 1/	Number Sold	Wholesale Value 1/	Number Sold	Wholesale Value 1/
		Thousands	*Thousand Dollars*	*Thousands*	*Thousand Dollars*	*Thousands*	*Thousand Dollars*
Gladioli.....	Spikes	2,847	299	2,615	238	1,351	131
Standard Carnations.....	Blooms	5,579	669	4,964	650	2,369	303
Standard Chrysanthemums.	Blooms	6,233	2,076	6,774	2,100	5,082	1,784
Pompon Chrysanthemums.	Bunches	502	633	463	718	263	363
Potted Chrysanthemums.	Pots	1,022	2,156	1,086	2,541	1,181	3,260
Potted Poinsettias....	Pots	588	1,382	705	1,629	1,052	2,798
Potted Geraniums.....	Pots	745	849	912	912	740	858
Potted Lilies.....	Pots	131	301	169	443	234	632
Potted Hydrangeas.....	Pots	136	379	134	402	124	491
Snapdragons	Stems	1,240	281	1,113	264	798	192
Flowering Bedding Plants.	Flats	343	1,269	350	1,383	633	2,608
Vegetable Bedding Plants.	Flats	196	735	182	759	274	1,008

1/ *Equivalent Wholesale Value of all sales.*

STATISTICAL REPORTS PROGRAM

NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS brings together the current and historic statistics concerning agriculture in the State. Where possible, types of information most often requested by farmers, the general public, and workers in government agencies are included.

Reporting of crop and livestock statistics is a service rendered to farmers and others in the State by the Economics, Statistics, and Cooperatives Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture in cooperation with the North Carolina Department of Agriculture.

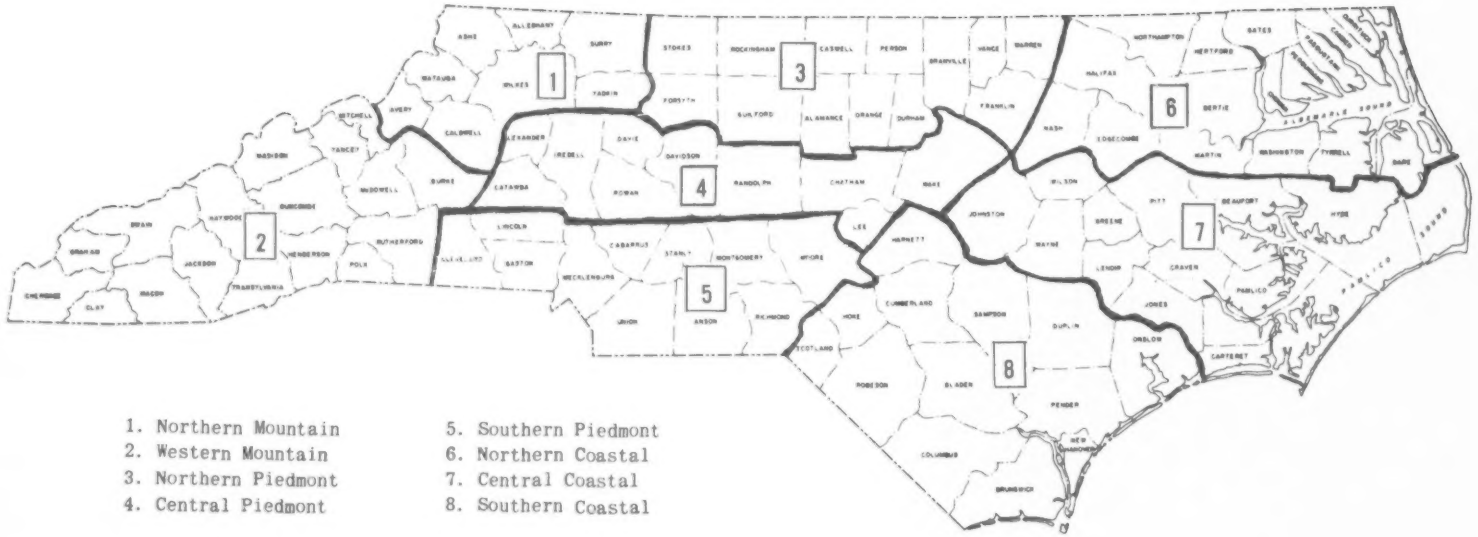
The collection and dissemination of agricultural statistics had its start in 1863. This is one of the oldest activities of the United States Department of Agriculture. It was recognized that there were many advantages of a joint relationship between the State and Federal Governments in the development of agricultural statistics. Thus, in 1919 the N. C. Department of Agriculture entered into a cooperative agreement with the U. S. Department of Agriculture to provide detailed agricultural statistics. The agreement resulted in the creation of the Statistics Division of the North Carolina Department of Agriculture.

The North Carolina Crop and Livestock Reporting Service publishes official statistics on crops, livestock, prices, and various other agricultural items. A list of the more important reports and the approximate dates of release is shown in the table at right. These reports may be obtained without charge by writing to Agricultural Statistician, P. O. Box 27767, Raleigh, North Carolina 27611.

In addition, semi-monthly releases entitled ''Farm Report'' are published by the North Carolina Crop and Livestock Reporting Service to meet the needs of persons requiring information on a regular basis.

TYPE OF REPORTS	FREQUENCY OF REPORT	APPROXIMATE DATE AVAILABLE
I. CROP REPORTS		
1. Intentions to plant	Twice Per Year	Jan. 20, Apr. 15
2. Production of Field Crops, Fruits & Vegetables	Monthly (In Season)	10-12th
3. Crop Disposition & Value	Annually	May 4
4. Grain Stocks (All Positions)	Quarterly	25th of Jan. Apr., June, & Oct.
5. Annual Crop Summaries		
Small Grains	Annually	December 10
Other Field Crops	Annually	January 15
II. WEATHER-CROPS REPORTS	Weekly	Monday - 3:00 P.M.
III. LIVESTOCK REPORTS		
1. Cattle & Milk Cow Inventory, Jan. 1	Annually	February 2
2. Cattle & Calves on Feed, Jan. 1	Annually	February 2
3. Calf Crop	Annually	February 2
4. Pig Crop & Hog Inventory	Quarterly	22nd. of Mar., June, Sept., & Dec.
5. Commercial Slaughter	Monthly	27th
6. Meat Animals - Farm Production, Disposition & Income	Annually	April 1
IV. DAIRY REPORTS		
1. Cows Milked & Milk Production	Monthly	11th
2. N. C. Dairy Report	Semi-Annually	Mar. 1, Sept. 1
3. Milk Production & Disposition	Annually	May 5
V. POULTRY REPORTS		
1. Poultry Inventory Dec. 1	Annually	January 28
2. Eggs, Chickens, Turkeys & Hatchery; Poultry Slaughter	Monthly	18th
3. Broilers Placed, Eggs Set and Hatched	Weekly	Wednesday-P.M.
4. Turkey Poults & Eggs Set	Weekly	Thursday-P.M.
5. Turkeys Raised	Annually	January 10
6. Turkey Breeder Hens	Semi-Annually	Sept. 20, Jan. 10
VI. PRICE REPORTS		
1. Prices Received By Farmers	Monthly	30th
2. Prices Paid By Farmers	Monthly	30th

NORTH CAROLINA CROP REPORTING DISTRICTS



1. Northern Mountain
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